

# ASTORIA FIRE IS BLAMED ON REDS

## 24 Blocks Razed; 10,500 Homeless; Loss 12 Million

### Radicals Are Under Surveil- lance, Following Blaze Wiping Out Business Sec- tion--Relief Work Start- ed.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
ASTORIA, Oregon, Dec. 9.—Astoria today surveyed its losses from the \$12,000,000 fire which yesterday razed 24 blocks of the city's business section and set on foot measures to relieve the 10,500 persons made homeless by the conflagration.

Incendiarism was responsible for the fire in the opinion of Mayor Bender and Chief of Police Carlson and local radicals are under suspicion, officials said. Investigations indicated that the fire began in two places, according to Chief Carlson.

With the heart of the city in smoldering ruins plans for rebuilding were nebulous but it was the general sentiment that reconstruction on a larger scale would start as soon as the burning of the city needs are supplied. Hundreds of telegrams offering money and supplies were received and the relief committee announced that large amounts of staple foods and quantities of clothing are being sent here today from Portland.

## Drop Carolina Bomb Cases

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
ROCKY MOUNT, N. C., Dec. 9.—The cases against C. E. Pyle, Jr., Curtis Bradshaw and P. J. Cradlin who were arrested several weeks ago on charges of having been responsible for the bomb explosion of D. P. Taylor on the night of October 14, were dropped when the three men appeared in court for preliminary hearing today. At the hearing the prosecuting attorney stated that the evidence against the three men had been issued on evidence given by two white youths taken into custody on larceny charges and that the youths later repudiated their statements, declaring the evidence that they were false. In the face of this development the state took a nol prosequere with leave to drop the charges against the three men who have been under bond since arrested.

## Senator Edge Marries Today

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
BATH, Maine, Dec. 9.—Vice-President and Mrs. Coolidge and many other notables in the life of Washington and of the nation were in the city today to attend the wedding of United States Sen. Walter Edge of New Jersey to Miss Camilla L. A. Sewall, President and Mrs. Harding sent as their present an oil painting by Aspen Knight entitled "Cahors". The ceremony was held in Grace Episcopal church with the pastor, Rev. Charles H. Stubbs, officiating. Sen. Frederick Hale, of Maine, was best man and Mrs. John Winslow Williams of Baltimore, sister of the bride, was matron of honor.

## Whiskey Peddler Fires On Officers

### Sheriff T. C. Oakes and Special Officer O. L. Austin Report Narrow Escapes From Bullets—Latter's Clothing Pierced in Three Places—Makes Getaway—12 Gallons Seized.

Deputy Sheriff T. C. Oakes and Special Officer O. L. Austin, of Brunswick, this morning reported an encounter yesterday afternoon with an alleged whiskey peddler, who finally made his escape after emptying his revolver at the two officers. Officer Austin had a close call from being shot and possibly killed, for he reports that three of the bullets pierced his clothing but fortunately none of them struck his body. As a result of the escape George Burnett is being sought as the man who fired upon the officers. A white and buggy containing 12 gallons of whiskey were seized by the officers, after Burnett had abandoned the vehicle and emptied his revolver at them.

Burnett, who resides near Cascade, has a reputation of handling whiskey. Officers Oakes and Austin undertook to capture him yesterday afternoon. The two officers were in a machine and soon approached the buggy slowly for some distance to make sure of the man's identity. They called out to Burnett but he failed to do so. When they reached a point on

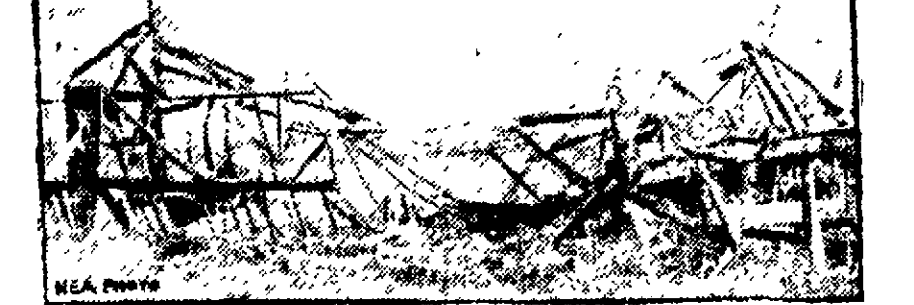
## SUCCESS OF CHEST DRIVE IN SIGHT

### Twenty Injured In Train Wreck; Caused By Fog

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 9.—One man was fatally injured and a score or more others more or less seriously hurt when the second section of fast passenger train No. 80 of the Atlantic Coast Line railway crashed into rear end of local passenger train No. 32 in a fog at Hanahan station today.

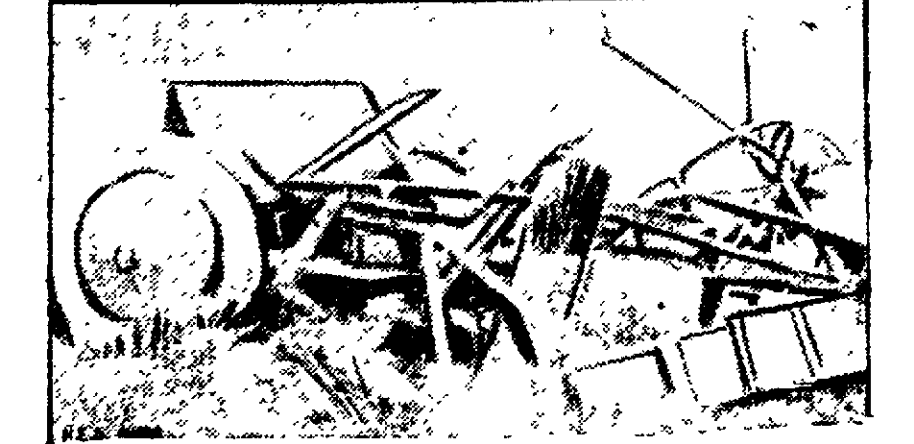
D. R. Edwards, of Sumpter, S. C., died several hours later at a local hospital. Hospital officials here at noon said 18 persons were injured seriously enough to require treatment. All of the injured lived in South Carolina. Several treated for minor hurts did not give their addresses.

## SIX MEET DEATH IN AIR



This charred and mangled bombing plane plunged to the earth at Langley Field, Norfolk, Va., with its crew of five men after it had collided with a single-passenger Fokker scout plane. Five bombing planes and a scout plane rose for army maneuvers when the accident took place. This Martin bombing plane was piloted by Captain B. A. Doyle of San Francisco.

## ARMY PLANES IN CRASH



This single-passenger Fokker scout plane, piloted by Major J. L. Gerhardt of Iowa, crashed into the Martin bombing plane at Langley Field, Norfolk, Va., in an accident which brought death to six army burmen. Both machines burst into flames at the crash and every bit of fabric and wood had been burned away before rescuers could drag the incinerated bodies of the victims from the wreckage.

## Negroes Blame Republicans For Failure Dyer Bill

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—As anticipated the failure of the Republican Congress to pass the Dyer anti-lynching bill was a bitter disappointment to the colored people, whose resentment promises to make itself felt at the next election.

In a statement issued today the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People says: "The abandonment of the bill by the Republican leadership in the Senate will have far-reaching effects upon the colored people of the whole country. Of prime importance will be the political effect upon negro voters in those Northern states where they hold the balance of power or vote in such numbers that they are a political factor."

Blame is thus put upon the Republican party and not upon the Democrats, whose filibuster in the Senate caused the failure of the bill.

## Mexico To Return Clara, If Caught

MEXICALI, Dec. 7.—If Clara Phillips is arrested before she escapes to the United States as an undesirable alien. That was the announcement made here tonight by Governor J. Y. Lugo.

Ever since Mexican officials along the border have been officially instructed to arrest the fugitive on sight and fully a hundred men representing the Mexican government and the State of Lower California are on watch for her.

The general belief is that Mrs. Phillips escaped into Mexico by airplane although some think she fled from here by sea.

Meantime Peggy Caffee, at the time of the murder Clara's closest friend, but during the trial star witness for the state is said to be in mortal fear of her life.

Peggy was positive she saw Mrs. Phillips at Long Beach at noon yesterday.

"I know Clara's character—I know her habits," she said. "And I say that she is the most dangerous woman at large today. She will stop at nothing to secure her liberty—she will fight like a tiger against anything that will jeopardize her freedom."

## France Adopts a More Lenient Reparation Stand

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
LONDON, Dec. 9.—Premier Briand today closed the first session of the conference of Allied premiers here today is understood to have said that France would consent to a moratorium of two years for Germany if certain economic guarantees were given.

## Trinkles to Attend Flood's Final Burial

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 8.—Governor and Mrs. Trinkle are planning to leave here early next Sunday morning with a view of arriving at Appomattox Courthouse in time to attend exercises to the reinterment of the late H. D. Flood, who represented the Tenth Virginia district in Congress for twenty years.

United States Senator Claude A. Swanson, a life-long friend of Mr. Flood, will deliver the funeral oration. Mr. Flood's body has been resting in a vault since his death, which occurred last summer in that city. Colonel Joseph Butler, commissioner of insurance, another long and intimate friend of the dead congressman, will also attend the exercises. He is a native of Appomattox, as was Mr. Flood.

## AUSTRALIAN MONEY HELPS THE ARMENIANS

ATHENS, Dec. 9.—A new alliance between the United States and Australia for relief work was inaugurated recently with the opening of the first Australian orphanage for 1200 Armenian refugee children. The institution is situated on the seashore of Antakya, a suburb of Beirut, and is a part of the orphanage system of the American Near East Relief, but will be under the control of an Australian personal and supported by Australian funds.

The children now in the orphanage are those who have arrived during the past fortnight from the interior of Anatolia as a result of the Ankara government's edict for the removal of all Christian children.

## CONGRESSMAN UPshaw PASSES THROUGH CITY

Congressman Will D. Upshaw of Georgia, was in this city for a short time this morning on his way to Washington from his home state where he attended the Baptist Convention. During his brief stay of only about two hours, Rep. Upshaw was the speaker at a meeting of the local Baptist conference, presided over by Rev. J. W. Melton. In yesterday's issue of the Bee it was stated that Upshaw was in a raid which netted \$8000 in whisky. It should have been Melton, an officer on the police force. Jessie W. Melton, assistant commonwealth attorney, was also present. He was not a No. 1 question. The name was read Jess Melton.

## Report On New Bern Fire Is Repudiated

### Fire Commissioner Gives Out Statement Chiding Deputy for First Report in Conflagration.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 9.—The report of the Deputy Insurance Commissioner W. A. Scott, criticizing the New Bern fire department and asserting that explosives were found in negroes' houses during the fire today was repudiated by Commissioner Stacey W. Wade.

The commissioner returned from New York where he had been several days and immediately held a conference with the officials of the department. The statement giving the contents of Scott's report was never submitted to the active chief of the department and was issued from the office by another official without his knowledge or consent, said Wade. "I consider it exceedingly unfortunate that in the excitement of the catastrophic what might have been a momentary lack of precaution should have been distorted into a charge of criminal negligence on the part of firemen. I know the firemen of New Bern, too well and especially those of New Bern, to believe they could be guilty of such a charge. The wonder is that in the midst of the North Carolina fire, fanned by a mighty gale, they did not find themselves helpless and give up in despair. New Bern is one of the oldest towns in the state, many, if not the majority, of the houses, being of most inflammable material, and with its woodworking plants nestled among them, it is miraculous that the destruction to such a small area. The representatives of the department were despatched with instructions to be of whatever aid they could in restoring order, preventing the spread of fire and rendering what assistance they could to the unfortunate people and let for the purpose of lessening the responsibility for the calamity. It is impossible that those directions were misunderstood and I can hardly believe that any statements, however incorrect, could have been intended to reflect on a body of firemen whose loyalty and bravery may be matched but not surpassed anywhere in the state," he said.

## Sweden Builds Big Radio Plant

GOTHENBURG, Sweden, Dec. 9.—From Gothenburg, Sweden, to New York, one-fifth of a second—no more time will be required for the transmission of a wireless message when the powerful new radio station near Varberg, south of Gothenburg, is finished.

The work on the half million dollar contract by the Radio Corporation of America for the equipment of this station has begun in earnest. A large force of men is busy on the foundations for the masts for the two separate systems of antennae, one for sending and the other for receiving. One of the first steps is the installation of a so-called balance net, which consists of copper wires laid in the earth at regular distances.

This new radio station, which probably will be known as the Grimeton station, will be used for simultaneous messages in both directions between Sweden and the United States. The radio system which is to be installed is the now universally known Alexanderson system, invented by the Swedish engineer E. T. W. Alexanderson, who is now associated with the Radio Corporation of America as chief engineer. The mechanisms at Grimeton will work automatically, requiring only two or three attendants for the receiving division, and about a dozen for the sending division. The actual handling of messages will be done at Gothenburg through land wires connected with Grimeton.

## Defeat Movement To Divide Up Football Season

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
ATLANTA, Dec. 9.—The South Intercollegiate conference in session today defeated a motion to split the conference into two section winners in each to play for the championship. The proposal, offered by delegates representing the University of Virginia, would have provided for two sections, A and B. In the first would have gone to the University of Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Kentucky while the second would have been composed of the University of Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee and Georgia Tech.

## Jury Disagrees In Clayton Case

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 9.—The jury in the case of W. R. Clayton charged with the sale of stolen automobiles disagreed and was discharged before noon today by Judge Henry T. Connor. The jury was unable to reach a verdict in the case.

## Defense Rests In Birkhead Case

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
OXFORD, Mass., Dec. 9.—Defense in the trial of the Birkhead case rested today. The defense attorneys for the plaintiff asked time to cross-examine the rebuttal and court recessed until two o'clock.

## Slightly More Than \$10,000 Needed to Attain The Goal

### Renewed Faith in Achievement Is Given by Yesterday's Response— Klansmen Make Donation of \$100 in Full Regalia.

AN OUTSTANDING GIFT.

One of the outstanding gifts to the Community Chest came to light this morning when it was learned that one hundred young women of the Morrocco Manufacturing company had contributed the sum of \$550 towards the movement. All of these young women are self-supporting or have contributed towards the maintenance of their families and it was recognized by people associated with the plant that such a contribution represented a real sacrifice on the part of the donors.

With slightly more than \$10,000 needed to make the Community Chest a success and with two working days in which to secure pledges, the amount it began to look today as though the undertaking will prove a triumph. Reports made at the one o'clock luncheon served yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. brought the total amount subscribed to \$64,367 leaving \$10,624 yet to be raised.

A feature of yesterday's work was the appearance at night at the Community Chest headquarters in the Y. M. C. A. building of fifty Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in full regalia who silently presented Howard Guernant with an envelope which was found to contain \$100 in currency. With the money was a note expressing the desire of the local organization that the money be devoted to the Community Chest. It was the third voluntary subscription to a worthy cause made by the Klan of recent times. The Klansmen apparently gathered at some point removed from the Y. M. C. A. probably on the outskirts of the city where they entered cars and motor-ceremonies were quickly and quickly performed the Knights leaving and

## No Further Wage Disputes Pending

### Reign Of Terror Will Continue In Ireland, Belief

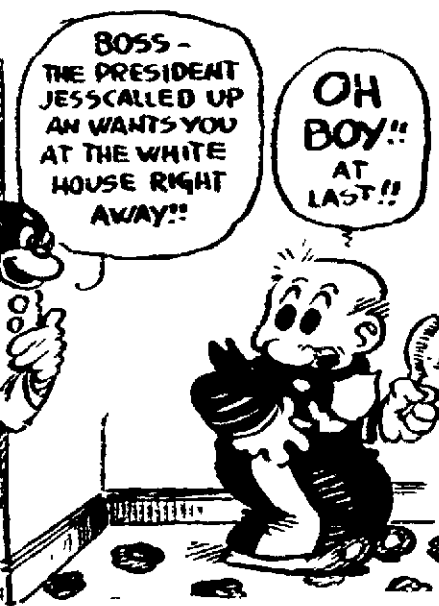
(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
LONDON, Dec. 9.—The expectation that yesterday's executions in Dublin will be followed by further shootings expressed today by some of the Dublin despatches to the London papers. These correspondents are convinced that a chain of reprisals will continue. The Daily Mail's Dublin correspondent quoted a Free State official as saying that there are at least 100 desperate men in the city who have no care for their own lives, will follow the leaders and endeavor to kill members of the government and of the Irish Parliament.

## Words To Officer Leads To Fine

(Special to The Bee.)  
CHATHAM, Va., Dec. 9.—H. L. Ferguson of Danville was fined \$12.75 by Magistrate R. C. Collier here yesterday on a charge of interfering with the discharge of his duties last Sunday. There was a conflict of evidence as to what took place. Testimony for the defense was that Ferguson was in a car driven by Clarence Cole of Danville and that he was with the car when it was stopped by Officer Carter and John Carter, of Swanonville. They were on the highway when the car was stopped and told Cole that he had a wound on his forehead and that he would let him go if he would let him go. It was in evidence that the car was moving at a rate of speed not more than ten miles an hour. Ferguson testified that after hearing the officer's words he remarked he said, "Thank you, Mr. Pugh, but we were running on time when we were stopped and we were not running on time when we were stopped."

## Kandolph-Macon Christmas Recitals

Tomorrow night the students of the high school of the city will give a similar recital at the high school. The recital will be given at 8 o'clock and will be a most interesting one. The students will be accompanied by the high school orchestra. The recital will be a most interesting one and will be a most interesting one.



The New Daily Comic Strip  
Starting Monday in THE BEE.

## Good Morning Judge!

Josephine Bailey, colored, was held for the grand jury this morning in the police court on a charge of feloniously causing Kate Walker, colored, to be taken to the hospital about ten days ago at a house on Newton street. The Bailey negroess inflicted a bad wound on Kate Walker's arm with a razor. The wounded woman charged Josephine with the crime, and she was held for the grand jury. On the other hand, Josephine said she wedded the razor in self defense, after the woman had grabbed a pop bottle with which to strike her.

The case of Josephine Bailey, who was held for the grand jury, was set for next Saturday.

Walter Brumby was also granted a continuance. He was arrested yesterday after a search of his house had revealed a cache of whisky. The case was set for Tuesday.

John Elliott is charged with a fine of \$200 and a charge of loading a gun on a highway. The case was set for Tuesday.



**DANIEL ZIMMERMAN**  
Accompanied by a few of their relatives and close friends, Daniel and Miss Etta Zimmerman, both of Puhman, N. C., motored to this city on Wednesday afternoon last and were quietly united in marriage at the residence of the Rev. J. Clyde Holland on North Main street at three o'clock.  
The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Zimmerman, and a young lady of imposing person, attractiveness. The groom is a highly esteemed young farmer of the community. They were accompanied by Mr. O. H. Zimmerman, Miss Louise Daniel, Miss Mamie Zimmerman and Martin Daniel. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel will make their home near Puhman, N. C.  
Investigation of oil and gasoline prices to be resumed next Thursday. Senate sub-committee.

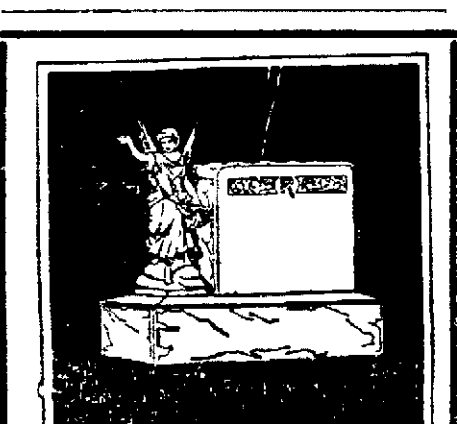


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**Santa Claus Suggets Photographs of the Children.**

Today, or any day this week, will be a good time to bring the tiny tots to the studio for Christmas Photographs.

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**AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR THE ONE-MAN CAR**  
The City Council is considering giving a fare of five tickets for thirty cents (the same as now) and a cash fare of seven cents. Our regular patrons will have to pay no more than they now pay, and our occasional patrons will have to pay a pretty penny. No change in children's school tickets, which will remain at now 2-1-2 cents, or 20 tickets for fifty cents.  
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# Clara Phillips Is In Mexico! But No Place Is Safe For Her

"Where is Clara Phillips?" That question is being asked in every city and town in the nation as today's Service goes to press.  
NEA Service put the question to William J. Burns, world famous detective and chief of the United States Secret Service.  
His answer is given herewith. Should Mrs. Phillips be captured here, for story readers, you know, her story will be of immense interest to your readers as a clear, concise statement of the chances criminals have to elude justice.

**BY HARRY HUNT**  
**NEA Staff Writer**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Clara Phillips is in Mexico, of course. That is the answer, given emphatically and without hesitation, by William J. Burns, world famous detective and chief of the United States Secret Service, to the query: "Where is Clara Phillips, escaped Los Angeles hammer murderer?"  
"What chance has she of evading capture?" I then asked the famous detective chief.  
"No place is safe for her," Burns replied. "Even if she evades immediate capture, the chances are she will be turned up and identified sooner or later, and brought back to face justice."  
But in her favor temporarily at least is the fact that at present we have no treaty of extradition with Mexico, as this government has no official relationship with the present government in Mexico.  
Nicaragua would be another com-



MRS. CLARA PHILLIPS.

paratively safe refuge, and has long been a favorite place with escaped criminals and fugitives.  
In almost any European country she probably would be identified. Italy would offer the only comparative safety in Europe, as extradition

from that country always has been difficult.  
Mr. Burns, however, is that she should be kept in Mexico and is there long before this. Locating her there will not be the only difficulty. Getting her back in view of the lack of extradition agreements, would be complicated. And the opportunities for safe hiding there are many.

It is mighty seldom, however, that an escaped convict finds permanent safety. Once in a while a man is bagged after 10 or 15 years are frequent. They are mighty few who, after a few months or a year or two, do not return to the States if not to their old haunts.

"An instance of how captures are effected after long chases is that of Schmidt and Kaplan, whom I arrested three years after the blowing up of the Los Angeles Times. One of them we got on Broadway, the other on a little island up near Tacoma, Washington."  
Another celebrated case was that of the fellow wanted in connection with the disappearance of a Montreal theater owner—Small. I believe his name was. A Burns operative located him a little town away up in Oregon.

The co-ordination established between federal, state, county and municipal authorities by the Federal Bureau of Investigation now makes it virtually impossible for anyone so to change or disguise themselves as to escape detection. Bertillon measurements sometimes err by those measurements change. But fingerprints remain unchanged throughout life and they make it possible to identify Mrs. Phillips when she is located and brought back into the States again whether next year or 10 years from now."  
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## QUARTERLY MEET COUNTY W. C. T. U.

(Contributed)  
The first quarterly convention of the Pittsylvania county W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday, December 7, in the Calvary M. E. church. A large attendance of delegates was present, every union in the county being represented except one. Every comfort was provided for the delegates and a delightful lunch was served by the entertaining hostess, Mrs. Robert Memorial after devotional exercises constituted by Mrs. Chisholm the usual program was taken up, such as reports of the county officers and superintendents of departments of work. These reports elicited much discussion and interest. The temperance instruction in schools and colleges was shown to be one of the most important departments of work taken up by the W. C. T. U. and it was decided to continue with the temperance instruction in the schools to offer prizes worth while. To this and a local prize will be given in each grammar school (8th or 10th grades) and in each high school including the high school departments of the colleges in the county, for the best essay. These prizes, winning essays will then be entered in the contest for the county prize of ten dollars for the best high school essay and five dollars for the best grammar grade essay. Those essays winning the county prizes will then be entered in the contest for the state prize. Great stress was laid in the meeting of the quarterly temperance lessons in the Sunday schools for the training of the young and delegates were urged to make these temperance Sundays memorable days.  
The department of christian citizenship comes into its share of discussion at this time, the women having but recently come into their own as voting citizens. The W. C. T. U. affiliates with no political party, but the women were asked to register and vote, irrespective of party, for the man or woman who stands for allegiance to the constitution and the enforcement of laws.  
Mr. W. T. Shelton Federal prohibition officer, was present and told of his duties and work as an officer and also of his recent trip to Toronto, Canada, where he attended the meeting of the World League against alcoholism.  
Mrs. Bettie Lee followed with an intensely interesting account of the world and national W. C. T. U. conventions held in Philadelphia, Nov. 11 to 19. She told of the great and things of delegates and visitors so vast that overflow meetings have to be held in the great auditoriums of the city. The optimism and enthusiasm that prevailed in such a vital manner that her hearers could almost imagine they were in Philadelphia.  
Mr. C. H. Brumfield gave a report of the state convention held in Danville in September and showed what

had been accomplished in the state since the first convention was held here twenty-five years ago.  
One of the features of the meeting was a solo by Mrs. Rogers entitled, "It is in the Constitution and It's Here to Stay." This song was backed by the united womanhood of the nation, it is there to stay. This song was written by Prof. Dailey of Philadelphia, who some eight or ten years ago wrote "A Saloonless Nation by 1920."

## NEWS FROM ROCKY MOUNT

**ROCKY MOUNT, Va., Dec. 7.**—Franklin County Treasurer T. J. Dudley reports 1922 taxes collected since the first of May as \$104,000.00 or 70 per cent of the commissioner's assessment 5 per cent penalty is being added to the balance of the taxes.  
The Red Cross chapter of Franklin county met Tuesday evening in the auditorium of the court house, presided over by the chairman, N. P. Angle. Mrs. W. C. Menefee, secretary of the chapter, read the minutes of the last meeting, also reading several letters in regard to the proposed county trained nurse from Mrs. Jickelway, the State district secretary, in which she stated the impossibility of getting a nurse for the six months, specified by the chapter. So the discussion of a clinic for the county arose, and favorably received. Divisional superintendent of Schools R. A. Prillman was authorized by the chapter to write the State Board of Health in regard to a clinic for the county, and state to them the Red Cross chapter would give the required \$500.00 for the county, the State giving the remaining \$500.00. If the clinic can be secured, the necessary requirements will be attended to at once.  
Among other matters brought before the meeting were the election of officers made vacant by former officers. The Rev. Starke Jett was elected vice-chairman of the chapter, and the Rev. C. K. Hobbs, was elected chairman of the Home Service Dept. Mrs. W. C. Menefee was elected chairman of the drive for the year 1923, which will be launched between now and the Christmas holidays, by her and her assistants.  
The December meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, Scott Memorial Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon, at three o'clock on the third floor of the handsome new residence of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Angle, which they so kindly let the society use indefinitely for their headquarters. This meeting will be an important one, officers for the coming year being elected and a number of committees will be appointed.  
The regular monthly meeting of the Jubal Early chapter, L. O. O. F., met Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. A. L. Edmondson on South Main street. Mrs. N. P. Hutchinson, president, presiding. The feature of the meeting was the discussion of Christmas donations by the chapter for the poor of the town and county. This meeting was the ending of the historical program for the first year. Mrs. W. T. Chisholm is historian for this chapter. At this meeting Mrs. Walter St. Clair offered her home for the entertainment in January to commemorate the birthdays of Lee and Jackson, which was accepted. Next meeting will be with Mrs. C. S. Greer at which time committees will be appointed for this entertainment.  
After the business session, a delightful social hour was spent, followed by a delicious and course served by the hostess, assisted by Mesdames N. T. Greer and T. F. Webb.  
"Safety First", the three-act farce, which had been postponed because of the illness of one of the important actors, Edwin Greer, is now ready, and will be presented Friday, Dec. 12, at the Auditorium Theatre for the benefit of the Rocky Mount schools, under the direction of Miss Carrie M. Schroeder and Miss Clyde Ramsey of the Rocky Mount school faculty. The cast is composed of Miss Beatrice, Miss Maryjorie Brown, Miss Clara Scott, Mrs. Irene Brugh, and Mrs. W. Bower, Edwin Greer, Leonard Hodges, Wilmer Bowen, Lester Laprade, and J. D. Montgomery.  
Among those attending the Angerstein family wedding, which took place in Martinsville, Wednesday evening, Dec. 6, were Mrs. H. D. Dillard, Misses Pete and Betty Dillard and J. E. Montgomery. Miss Pauline Hundley and Randolph Garrett were also in the party who motored to Martinsville but did not attend the wedding.  
Edwin Greer who has been confined to his home by illness for the past ten days, has sufficiently recovered to be out again.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Montgomery have for their home guests their niece Mrs. Frank Gregory of Roanoke.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hope Cecil Miles of Richmond are expected to arrive today to visit the parents of the former. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miles, on Claiborne avenue.  
Mrs. Starke Jett visited friends in Roanoke this week, and incidentally did some shopping, too.  
Master Robert Bolling McNeil had the misfortune to be run over by an automobile in front of the Rocky Mount Cannery building, while coming from school Monday afternoon. While

not seriously hurt by the accident, his foot was painfully crushed.  
Miss Lydia Dillard, a student of Stuart Hall, Staunton, arrived this morning, and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dillard for a few days.  
Mrs. W. C. Menefee and children, Lizabeth and Nancy Lee, will visit friends in Roanoke, Friday and Saturday.  
Mr. W. H. Cobb with his sister, Miss Emeline Pearson are in Roanoke today, shopping.

## Officers Active In Making Raids

Police officers were active yesterday and last night in conducting liquor raids. Local policemen, Schoolfield officers and state police combined their efforts and three different raids were made.  
The home of "Gid" Adams, situated near Schoolfield at the rear of the D. M. L. was raided last night about 8 o'clock and eight gallons of whiskey found. Adams had a unique place to hide his booze. The liquor was hidden in a bed, in which Adams' wife, was supposed to be lying ill, with her two children, who were asleep. While officers were searching various parts of the house, Sergeant J. H. Martin, who headed the expedition, caught sight of something very large covered up in the bed. Mrs. Adams and the two children, looked as if nothing had happened. Beside one of the youngsters, a five gallon jug was hidden. The other two gallons were in half gallon fruit jars, distributed in various places on the bed. A jar had been accidentally broken and one of the babies was literally drenched with the spirits. Adams, it was said, had been suspected for some time and of late night determined to find the liquor if any was there. Officers participating in the raid were Sergeant J. H. Martin, Patrolman O. W. Bates, Sergeant Baker, of Schoolfield and Prohibition officers A. A. Mays and R. I. Lumpkins.  
A raiding expedition into the woods back of Hilltop Sanatorium, ran across a large distilling plant running full blast, with three men in charge. They were Buster Pritchett, Henry Eanes, and L. C. Benton, all of whom were taken in custody. The still was of forty gallon capacity. The raid was made by Chief of Police, L. W. Cole and officers J. E. Rice and Jess Milton, of Schoolfield, yesterday morning about 11 o'clock.  
The home of Walter Dryman, near Schoolfield, was also raided yesterday and about four gallons of whiskey found. Dryman, who had been convicted before for storing whiskey, has since been strongly suspected and yesterday afternoon police officers, armed with warrants, conducted the raid. The officers were Sergeant J. H. Martin, Patrolman O. W. Bates, T. E. Bowles, and Prohibition Agents A. A. Mays and R. I. Lumpkins, and Special Officer Garland McCain, of Schoolfield.

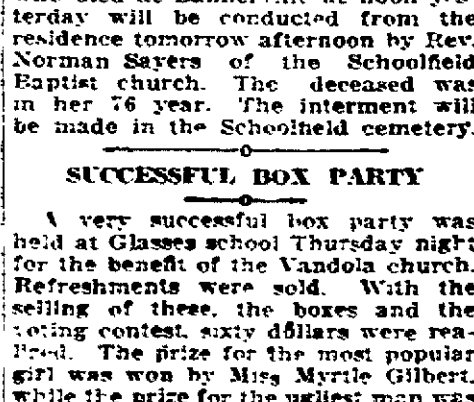
## MRS. SARAH WILSON DIES

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Wilson who died at Bannerville at noon yesterday will be conducted from the residence tomorrow afternoon by Rev. Norman Sayers of the Schoolfield Baptist church. The deceased was in her 76 years. The interment will be made in the Schoolfield cemetery.

## SUCCESSFUL BOX PARTY

A very successful box party was held at Glasses school Thursday night for the benefit of the Sandola church. Refreshments were sold, and the selling of three, the boxes and the totting contest, sixty dollars were realized. The prize for the most popular gift was won by Miss Myrtle Gilbert, while the prize for the ugliest man was won by Mr. Frank Gregory.

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## PRESBYTERY TO MEET TODAY TO TAKE ACTION

A called meeting of Roanoke Presbytery will be held in the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of acting on the request of the Rev. Henry Wade, Dubose, D. D., that the pastoral relations between himself and the local church be dissolved. There will also be a meeting of the Home Missions Committee in the afternoon to discuss matters of importance.  
The meeting of Presbytery is a matter of form, though that body has no official functions in the Presbyterian church. Dr. DuBose has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church at Spartanburg, S. C., and will leave for his new field December 15. He will preach his last sermon tomorrow night.  
While no definite action looking to the calling of a new pastor has been taken by the session of the church several ministers are being considered in a tentative way. The official body hopes to secure another pastor at the earliest possible date.  
Dr. DuBose returned yesterday from Knoxville, Tenn., where he attended a committee meeting, and will be present at the meeting of the Presbytery today.

## WRIT CONTINUED BY BARKSDALE

HALIFAX, Va., Dec. 8.—The Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association scored its first success in a Virginia court today. Judge M. L. Barksdale at Halifax Court house this morning continued the injunction restraining four members of the Tobacco Co-operative from making any further deliveries of their tobacco outside of the association.  
The cases of S. M. Arthur, J. H. Cooke and Jim Briggs, of Halifax county, and T. J. Cleaton from Mecklenburg county injunctions were continued until further order by the court, which means that they will remain in force until affirmed or action taken by the defendant.  
In addition to his continuance of the first four injunctions brought against Virginia growers, Judge Barksdale granted the association further injunctions restraining C. M. Jones, and W. W. Wynn, of large growers of Mecklenburg county, and J. W. Snyder of Lunenburg county, from making further deliveries of their tobacco outside of the association until the hearing on January 23, when these cases are returnable.  
In contrast to the large array of counsel which faced the attorneys of the association in its recent successful cases in North Carolina J. H. Cooke, of Halifax county, was the only defendant who appeared in court today with counsel. W. T. Joyner of Raleigh, Laurence Levy of San Francisco, Worth P. Marks, Jr., of the firm of Munford, Hutton, Williams and Anderson of Richmond and John Martin of South Boston represented the association while McKinney and Settle of South Boston appeared for the defendants.  
The immediate success of the Association in the continuance of injunctions in Virginia, following fast upon its legal victories in North Carolina, is considered of far reaching importance by its officials.

## WHY COPPER IS BEST

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## R. A. BENTON GETS \$250 DAMAGES

A verdict returned by a jury yesterday afternoon awarded R. A. Benton \$250 damages against O. T. Cook, police officer, as result of civil action for damages instituted by Mr. Benton some time ago.  
Following the trial of Mr. Cook on a charge of shooting and wounding Mr. Benton, he was reinstated on the police force. The amount sought by Mr. Benton was \$5,000. The evidence was identical with that voiced at the preliminary hearing and later at the jury trial in the criminal court. It was the case in which Mr. Cook, thinking he was dealing with a car thief, shot at the tires of the machine on Jefferson street, one of the bullets striking Mr. Benton in the shoulder. He with other men, was returning from a dog-hunting expedition.  
The jury hearing the case was composed of W. H. Williams, E. E. Williams, Sr., W. W. Keeling, John F. Pryor, K. Silverman, A. A. Turner and J. H. Muse.

## Y. W. C. A. CONFERENCE

A conference for Y. W. C. A. Finance Committee members was held in Greensboro on Thursday and Friday of this week. Delegates from North Carolina and Virginia were in attendance. The Danville Association was represented by the following members: Miss Ella Bouldin, vice-president of the local Y. W. C. A. Board, Mrs. George Friend, treasurer, Mrs. E. J. Hinchcliff, general secretary, and Miss Mary Ruffin, business secretary. Through the kindness of Miss Virginia Overby the Danville delegates motored to Greensboro and were there in time for the opening of the morning session.  
The conference was one of much interest to members of the Y. W. C. A. committee members. Miss Julia Tolman Lee, of the National Y. W. C. A., who is an expert in matters of finance pertaining to city associations, led the discussion and gave an intensely illuminating talk on "Present Day Conceptions of Finance in Business, Religious and Social Organizations, and in the Young Women's Christian Associations." Miss Grace L. Osborne, city secretary for the Southern Region, spoke at some length on the Association's place in National and Community life.

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Dramatization by Edward Rose



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# Mrs. Harrison Again In Hands Of Bolsheviki

Baltimore Newspaper Woman Arrested Soon After Arrival in Chita—State Department Gives Out News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Marguerite E. Harrison, of Baltimore, newspaper woman and heroine of international adventures, is once more under arrest of the hands of Soviet officials of Russia.

Word to this effect was received at the State Department today from Chita, capital of the Far Eastern Republic, a new nation carved out of Siberia and recently aligned with the Bolshevik regime at Moscow.

What may be the charges against Mrs. Harrison is not indicated in the dispatches received at the State Department. Nor has the department thus far been called upon to intercede in her behalf. Only the bare fact that she had been taken into custody by the Chita officials soon after her arrival in that city is stated in advices received here.

Somewhat more than a year ago Mrs. Harrison was released from prison in Moscow, following a visit to the Soviet capital by Senator France, of Maryland. She had been incarcerated for months by the Russians and her life threatened more than once.

It was alleged in that instance that she had entered Soviet Russia under false pretenses and later that she had confessed to charges of espionage. She was tried before the Cheka, or Bolshevik court, and found guilty. She was released with the understanding that she would leave the country immediately and stay away.

It is suspected in Washington that one of the charges against her now, if there are more than one, is the charge that she has returned to Russia in violation of the order of deportation.

Several months ago Mrs. Harrison left America for the Far East. She went to Japan first and her later movements were not generally known until dispatches were received in Washington a few weeks ago that she was about to undertake an overland journey of more than 1,000 miles, practically alone, in order to reach the capital of the Far Eastern Republic.

The officials of the State Department indicated this afternoon that they were only academically interested in the present case of Mrs. Harrison. They had not been asked by her or her friends in America to intercede in her behalf.

And, inasmuch as this government has not recognized the Soviet government in Russia, a government which dominates that of the Far Eastern Republic, there are no direct means of dealing with the C. R. authorities.

At one time the Far Eastern Republic asserted its complete independence from Moscow and made overtures to the American government for recognition. A trade commission was appointed to visit Washington, some of the members of which yet remain in this city.

Also the China government sought to present its views of Far Eastern affairs to the Conference on the Limitation of Armaments, views which were only informally received.

Mrs. Harrison is the daughter of the late Bernard N. Baker, of Baltimore, and is the sister-in-law of Governor Albert C. Ritchie, of Maryland. For several years she was a member of the staff of The Sun, but at present is said to be connected with the Hearst newspapers.

## NEXT WEEK'S WEATHER

RICHMOND, Dec. 9.—Temperature below normal mostly cloudy with likelihood of rain and possibly snows first part of week.

## TICKER TALK

(Courtesy Thomson & McKinnon.)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Soviet Russia abandons hostile position in Danubian question at Near East conference.  
Allied premiers meet in London today to discuss German reparations. Three American ambassadors expected to be at Parley.

President of General Electric says question of stock dividend not discussed at executive committee Friday or at any previous meeting. No consideration of change in present program of five per cent. special stock dividend.

New York World, editorially, says president's message is quite best thing he has ever done and is a sincere effort of a well meaning man. Congressional comment was unexpectedly favorable with several Democrats expressing approval of his suggestions relating to agricultural prohibition, railway and foreign problems.

Ship subsidy bill to be reported to the Senate today amended from house version. Debate starts Monday night and day sessions will probably be held.

Reported Studebaker negotiating for Stutz.

Butte and Superior resumes dividends on common stock of 50 cent. Last dividend paid was \$1.25 on September 29, 1917.

Mercantile trade agencies report revival of buying throughout country which has stimulated certain primary channels.

Department of Commerce reports show increased domestic production and distribution throughout U. S. and an improvement in general outlook abroad.

Dun's reports 484 failures this week against 393 last week and 587 year ago.

Brooklyn Edison plans increase in stock from \$30 to \$50 million.

Bank Clearings throughout the country in November 188,192,554 decrease 11 per cent from October, but 8 per cent greater than November 1921.

## New Organization Is Planned Here

The latest addition to the list of fraternal organizations in Danville is the "Order of the Square," a club by this name having recently been organized with a charter membership of about 20 boys.

The purpose of the club is "to create, maintain and extend throughout the community high standards of Right Living, and to encourage by example and precept the four square life."

The newly elected officers of the club are as follows: Julian Narce, president; John Tate, vice-president; Edward Jordan, secretary and treasurer; Oscar Hyler and David Ragland, adult advisers.

The club will hold weekly meetings in one of the club rooms at the Y. M. C. A. building.

## HEARING IS POSTPONED

Corporation Court is not in session today owing to a sudden indisposition of Judge Price Withers. M. B. Ramos, Jr., was to answer a rule this morning to explain alleged failure to pay alimony to his divorced wife. Trial hearing will take place sometime next week.

## Perfect Saxon Beauty



The type of English beauty which is most characteristic of England has been found in the features of Mrs. C. E. Eaton, prominent London society woman, by a committee of artists.

# Hold Two In Main Street Gem Theft

Home of Mrs. W. T. Paxton  
Mysteriously Robbed of  
\$1,500 Jewelry — Police  
Recover Part of Loot and  
Hold Two Negroes.

Police officers have arrested S. D. Epps and Mose Willis, negroes, as result of the theft several days ago from the home of Mrs. W. T. Paxton on Main street of about \$1,500 worth of jewelry, including a diamond ring valued at about \$900, two other rings, and a watch. Just when and how the robbery was perpetrated is not known. Mrs. Paxton missed the valuables, reported the matter to the police and after an investigation of several days, the jewelry was traced to Epps and Willis. Epps denies stealing the goods, stating that he bought them from a boy, whom he did not know.

Just how the robbery was effected is not known. Several days ago Mrs. Paxton was unable to locate her jewelry and notified the police that she had been robbed. Detectives J. C. Lewis and J. N. Campbell took the case in charge. All of the local jewelry stores were notified to keep a lookout for the rings and watch, a good description being given. Yesterday morning Epps entered Frank's jewelry store, presented a ring, but the mounting was missing. The negro said that he wanted the ring made larger. Although the stone was missing, the mounting was given. Epps, when given, recognized the ring. Willis was with Epps at the time but had nothing to do with the transaction. It is said. The jewelry store proprietor did not notify the police until the mounting was given. Epps, as customers, securing their addresses. He then called Mrs. Paxton to the store and she identified the property as belonging to her.

The police were notified and Sergeant H. T. Harney and Patrolman J. T. Clark went to Epps' home in Almagito and placed him under arrest. The negro was brought to the courthouse and turned over to Detectives Lewis and Campbell. Yesterday morning Epps told two different stories of how the ring came into his possession. He first said that it was a frame up to get him in trouble. He said that a negro met him on the street and asked him to take the ring to a jewelry store to be made larger so that it would fit his finger. The prisoner on being pressed further related another story. He then said that he had bought the ring from a boy in knee trousers, paying \$10 for it. He stated that he wanted to make a girl a present of it and on finding it was too small for her finger, decided to have it made larger. When asked why he took the setting out, Epps said that he did not want to trust the jewelry store and removed it for safekeeping. Epps stated that Mose Willis had the stone. Willis was later taken in custody. The latter said that he had given the stone to a negro on Newton street. The officers went to the place and found the diamond in the possession of Martha Stevens.

## Canada's Cost Of Living Now As Before War

MONTREAL, P. Q., Dec. 9.—Living costs in Canada are nearing pre-war levels, the average cost of living in the family budget, according to government statistics, now being \$10.25, as compared with \$11.52 last year, and \$15.35 in 1920.

The index of wholesale prices is lower than it has been in years. Financial experts point out that the decline in commodity prices has been accompanied by a remarkable revival of business throughout the Dominion. The past year, they say, has been the last struggle in the transition from the period of post-war depression. Unemployment virtually has disappeared. The harvest in the west drained the east of workers and created a temporary labor shortage in several lines of industry. The increase in construction industries is furnishing work to thousands.

"Improved foreign trade has been a big factor in the revival," says the statement. "The first six months of this year showed a favorable trade balance of approximately \$25,000,000, as compared with an adverse trade balance of about \$35,000,000 a year ago. Since the war, the Dominion has risen from ninth to fourth place among the exporting nations of the world and now leads all the countries in the per capita volume of exported goods."

**NAME WAS WRONG**  
In yesterday's issue of The Bee, it was stated through a reportorial error that "Jess Benton" participated in a raid which netted 50 gallons of whisky. It should have read Jess Melton, an officer on the Schoolfield police force. Jessie W. Benton, a distant cousin of Melton, in this morning requested that it be made known that he was not the man in question. The name should have read Jess Melton.

## Pension System Costs Government a Heavy Sum

(By The Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The American Pension system cost the public \$255,201,662 during the fiscal year ended last June 30, according to the annual report of the commission, or of pensions issued today to President Harding. Of this amount \$253,807,583 was paid out for pensions, the cost of maintenance of the system being \$1,394,079.

That the number of pensions in this country is rapidly diminishing is shown in the statement that \$4,908,253 less was paid in pensions during the past fiscal year than during the previous year; that 25,082 Civil War veterans died, as against 24,775 the previous year, and that 21,259 widows died as against 19,451 the year previous.

The number of pensioners on the rolls June 30, 1922, was 547,016 compared with 568,053 on June 30 the previous year. Of these, 193,831 were Civil War veterans; 272,194 Civil War widows; 45,355 veterans of the Spanish War; and 9,198 widows of Spanish War veterans. There were 23 soldiers drawing pensions for service in the New York or Marine Corps after May 4, 1898, and was discharged prior to April 11, 1899, and was considered a "volunteer." This holding favorably affected hundreds of claims filed by widows and minors of soldiers of the Spanish War.

Instructions approved in August, last year, provided a more liberal system of rating claims of Spanish War soldiers under the act of June 19, 1906. The practice originally laid down under act of May, 1920, made the \$72 rate for helpless Civil War veterans commence from the date of medical examination of pensioners by a surgeon or a board of surgeons of the pension bureau. More than 92,000 claims for the \$72 rate have been allowed and 34,537 were drawing that rate per month on June 30, 1922.

In the past fiscal year, 139,736 pension claims were disposed of and 2,657,767 in arrears cleared and sent out. At the close of the year, \$2,615 claims and a various pension laws were pending.

Under the act of May 1920, providing for the retirement of civil service employees, there were 5,576 annuitants on the roll, of whom 6,667 were retired for age, the remainder for disability. The retirement law, with several broadening and liberalizing acts has been in operation for years. The present scale of annuities should be enlarged to provide a somewhat annuity for all classes, the commissioner said, and particularly for those receiving less than \$30 per month.

It was suggested that employees eligible for retirement at the age of 70 should have the option of retiring at 62, that retirement beyond 65 should be by agreement between employee and head of his department; and that no employee should be retained beyond the age of 70. Similar provisions were suggested for retirement at 62 and 65 years of age. The present scale of annuities should be enlarged to provide a somewhat annuity for all classes, the commissioner said, and particularly for those receiving less than \$30 per month.

## Clemenceau Urges America To Speak Independence Now

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—Georges Clemenceau speaking today in the city where America's declaration of independence was signed, urged that America come back to Europe and help spread independence through the world. He was given a long ovation as he appeared on the platform of the Academy of Music. The Academy profusely decorated with the Stars and Stripes and the French flag was packed.

## Delay Meeting Of Directors Of Fair

The proposed meeting of directors of the Danville Fair Association at the Country Club after having viewed the fair grounds and discussed enlarging it, which was planned during the coming week has been abandoned until the New Year.

## Stock Report

Stock List By Courtesy Thomson & McKinnon, Brokers, Southern Amusement Building, Danville, Va.

Atchafalpa	101 1/4
Anacostia Copper	48 1/4
Allied Chemical & Dye	75 1/4
Allis Chalmers	44 1/4
Am. Smelting & Refining	26 1/4
American Beet Sugar	43
American Locomotive	123 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	124 1/4
Ampac International	29 1/4
American Agr. Chem.	34 1/4
American Can	74 1/4
American Sugar	76 1/4
American Tobacco	156
American Woolen	95 1/4
Baldwin Locomotive	124
Bethlehem Steel "E"	62 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio	112 1/4
Candle Pacific	74 1/4
Coca Cola	76
Chandler Motors	63 1/4
Chesapeake & Ohio	66
Cosden & Co.	49 1/4
Corn Products	33 1/4
Continental Can	106
Crucible Steel	65
Cerro de Pasco	43
Chino Copper	23 1/4
Chile Copper	26 1/4
Cuba Cane Sugar	148
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	32 1/4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	25 1/4
do. pfd.	35 1/4
Chicago & N. W.	80 1/4
Consolidated Textile	18 1/4
Endicott-Johnson	87 1/4
Continental Leather	10 1/4
Erie	93
Famous Players-Lasky	13 1/4
General Motors	46 1/4
General Asphalt	46 1/4
Great Northern pfd.	74 1/4
Gulf States Steel	74 1/4
Hup Motors	26
Hudson Motors	24 1/4
Int. Mer. Marine	52
do. pfd.	52 1/4
International Paper	107 1/4
Illinois Central	35 1/4
Kanawha Copper	19
Kansas City Southern	19
Kelly-Springfield Tire	44 1/4
Lackawanna Steel	78
Loews, Inc.	121 1/4
Missouri pfd.	124 1/4
Middle States Oil	28 1/4
Midvale Steel	28 1/4
Miami Copper	27 1/4
Marland Oil	31 1/4
Norfolk & Western	93 1/4
North American Co.	75 1/4
Northern Pacific	95 1/4
New York Central	22 1/4
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford	28
N. Y. Air Brake	44 1/4
Pennsylvania	47 1/4
Pacific Oil	91
People's Gas	98 1/4
Pan-Am. Petroleum	29 1/4
Pure Oil	44 1/4
Phillips Petroleum	44 1/4
Pere Marquette	44
Rep. Iron & Steel	58 1/4
Retail Stores	76 1/4
Reading	48 1/4
R. J. Reynolds "B"	12 1/4
Ray Consolidated	24 1/4
Replique Steel	47 1/4
Rep. Iron & Steel	71 1/4
Sinclair Oil & Refining	32 1/4
Southern Pacific	85 1/4
Studebaker Corporation	133 1/4
Sears Roebuck	81
Southern Railway	65
do. pfd.	65 1/4
Tobacco Products	54 1/4
Tobacco Prod. "A"	50 1/4
Texas Co.	49
Texas & Pacific	21 1/4
Texas Pac. C. & O.	22 1/4
Union Pacific	138 1/4
Utah Copper	62
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	64 1/4
United States Rubber	52 1/4
Vanadium Corp.	103 1/4
Virginia Curo Chem. pfd.	69
Westinghouse Electric	59 1/4
Wabash pfd. "A"	24 1/4

## WEATHER OUTLOOK

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:  
Atlantic and East and West Gulf states: temperature will be normal, considerable cloudiness, occasional rains.  
Ohio Valley and Tennessee: temperatures below normal, considerably cloudy, rains and possibly snows at beginning of week and again near its close.

# Banker Denies He Saw Rector Slain

Publication of Rumor of  
New Eye-Witness Brings  
Statement from J. H. Porter.

—NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—A story sent out by a news association from New Brunswick yesterday that a prominent but unnamed banker of that city had been found to have witnessed the murders of the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor Mills created a stir in Middlesex and Somerset counties yesterday until various authorities to whom it had been credited denied it as "bunk."

Three hours later the story had a sequel when the New Brunswick Home News announced on the streets carrying a detailed denial by Joseph H. Porter, trust officer of the First National Bank of New Jersey, and as such, actual trustee of the estate of Willie Stevens, eccentric brother of Mrs. Frances Noel Stevens Hall, widow of the murdered clergyman, that he was an eye-witness of the killing.

Until the appearance of his denial, Mr. Porter's name had never been publicly mentioned as a witness, although frequent reference to his business relationship with the Hall and Stevens families, and his interest in the sale of the Phillips farm, on which the murders were committed, had been made early in the course of the investigation.

Much mystery surrounds the original story that the authorities had found a "Banker eye witness," despite the denials by Middlesex county detectives who knew anything about it.

F. M. Ritchie, United States commissioner in New Brunswick, and a member of the Middlesex County Bar, is the News Association correspondent who sent the story to the New York afternoon papers. In which it was credited to the Home News, with which Ritchie is also associated. But when the Home News was issued it carried only Mr. Porter's denial. Ritchie, while declining last night to explain the failure of the Home News to carry the story he sent to New York, assured other correspondents that its source was reliable and more would be told today.

Meanwhile the record is limited to Mr. Porter's statement in which he said:

"I was not in Derrussey's Lane on the night of the murder of the Rev. Edward W. Hall and Mrs. Eleanor Mills, and was not an eye witness to the murders."

"On the night of the murder, which, I believe, was September 14, I was at my home in Highland Park. I arrived home at 6:30 o'clock and didn't leave the house again. I am not sure whether Dr. Nixey called on me that night or not, but it is my recollection he did."

"I was at my desk the following day and remained rather late as I was going away for a short rest the following day. I had lunch with my family at the Walker hotel at noon on Saturday, September 16, but I was unaware of the finding of the bodies until the following day at the shire."

James A. Mason, chief investigator for Special Deputy Attorney General Wilbur A. Mott, in charge of the murder inquiry, was not in New Brunswick yesterday. Nor was Mr. Mott. With their exception, virtually all the officials identified with the murder inquiry were present upon the trial of Raymond Schneider, accused of perjury in falsely charging the Hall-Mills murder was committed by his erstwhile chum, Clifford Hayes. The trial will be completed today.

The principal witnesses for the commonwealth were Ferd A. David, Middlesex county detective, and George A. Totten, county detective of Somerset. Both told of Schneider's story of his movements in company with Hayes on the night of the murder, terminating in Hayes firing at two persons under the crabapple tree—two persons not known to either Hayes or himself. Later Schneider retold the story for the record and

swore to it. Upon this affidavit the arrest of Hayes was made.  
Opening for the defense just before adjournment, Attorney Sedam said it would now be by Schneider that the affidavit was obtained under duress, although not physical force.  
When the perjury charges is disposed of today, Schneider will be placed on trial on a serious charge preferred by Pearl Bahmer, the young girl in whose company he discovered the bodies of Mr. Hall and Mrs. Mills. Mrs. Hall will remain in New York several days longer at the home of one of his sisters, Mrs. Paul Bonner, No. 829 Park avenue. Mrs. Hall is resting from the strain she underwent during the 12 weeks since her husband was found murdered. In a few days she will return to New Brunswick. Her friends are urging her to take a trip to Europe, but so far she has not acquiesced.

## Detroit Sets Its Heart On Pennant

(By The Associated Press.)—DETROIT baseball fans, which loyalty has supported the Detroit Tigers, whether they were "up" or "down," has set its heart on an American League pennant for 1923.

The Tigers, coming from the cellar position to third place in the 1922 race, are expected by the fans to be stronger in 1923 than they were this year. Frank Navin, president of the club, believes that such should be the case.

For pitching has been the downfall of the Tigers for several years, in the opinion of observers. Next season, Detroit will start with the best string of hurlers of which the local outfit has boasted in a number of years.

In speaking of his team's prospects, Mr. Navin said:

"We should have the best pitching staff in the history of the club. 'Rip' Collins, whom we obtained from Boston, which loyalty has supported the Detroit Tigers, whether they were 'up' or 'down,' has set its heart on an American League pennant for 1923.

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# Satan's Empire Falling

"Millions Now Living Will Never Die."

—Judge Rutherford.

SATAN'S wicked influence has long been felt in every part of the world. Together with his associate devils he invites people to hatred, strife, murder, and induces war and anarchy, wrecking homes and driving millions to insanity and suicide. Satan caused the fall of man, and established his

EMPIRE. His wicked influence has overreached the denominational churches, causing many clergymen to forsake God and unite with profiteers and politicians to control mankind. But the end is here and his empire is

FALLING; and Christ, the rightful King, though invisible, is beginning to reign. Hence the distress of nations, of which Jesus spoke. The troubles will soon reach a climax and disappear, followed quickly by peace and prosperity, as Jesus assumes control.



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# 16, Goes to Prison For 39 Years

(Special to The Bee.)  
By NEA Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Albert Kruger, 16, wanted excitement. He got it.

And now he must pay for it. He must go without excitement for 39 years.

He must spend that period of time behind the walls of Sing Sing prison. He's only a weak-faced boy now.

When he leaves prison, if he serves his full sentence, he'll be a hardened man of 55.

Not Safe At Large.  
Judge Burt J. Humphrey, Brooklyn, gave young Kruger the 39-year sentence after a jury had decided the 16-year-old had been guilty of robbing a woman in her apartment and torturing her with lighted matches.

"To some people a month in jail is as good as a lifetime," the judge told him. "Others never ought to have their freedom. You are of the second class. Nobody's home is safe when you are at large."

Kruger, despite a record of crime reaching back to his little boy days, is just a kid.

Sought Thrills.  
"I didn't need money," he told a correspondent. "But I liked excitement."

## WHAT WILL WORLD BE LIKE?

Here is a thought for Albert Kruger to mull over as he rides up the river to begin his 39-year sentence.

"What will the world be like when I come back?"

The telephone, phonograph, radio, electric lights, automobile, movies, and airplane have all been invented in the last 39 years.

It's possible the next 39 years will bring forth a method for removing the queer twists in the human anatomy which now make necessary a 39-year prison sentence for a boy of 16.

ment. I get that way sometimes. If they let me out in four or five years I'll go straight. If you keep me in 15 or 20 years, I'm going to steal and everything else.

"Yes, if any kind of operation would fix me so I wouldn't get my 'spells,' I'd undergo it. I get those 'spells' here in jail and I jump up and down till they're over."

Kruger, as a Sing Sing convict, will be one of six who are under 17.



ALBERT KRUGER.

## FLORIDA MECCA FOR BIG TEAMS

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Florida will be the mecca of the spring training camps of the major league baseball clubs have selected sites in that state.

Five national league clubs and two American clubs. Tampa will be host to two clubs, one from each league.

One club from each organization will train in Arkansas and Alabama will afford training quarters for two American League clubs.

One American League club has picked Louisville and another club in the junior major circuit will winter up in Georgia.

Catalina Island, off the shores of California will be the scene of training activities of the Chicago Nationals.

The list of camps follows:

National  
New York—San Antonio, Texas.  
Chicago—Catalina Island, California.  
Philadelphia—Leesburg, Fla.  
St. Louis—Bradenton, Fla.  
Cincinnati—Orlando, Fla.  
Brooklyn—Eustis, Fla.  
Pittsburgh—Hos Springs, Ark.  
Boston—St. Petersburg, Fla.  
American  
Chicago—Seagin, Texas.  
New York—New Orleans, La.  
Detroit—Augusta, Ga.  
St. Louis—Mobile, Ala.  
Cleveland—Lake Land, Fla.  
Philadelphia—Montgomery, Ala.  
Boston—Hot Springs, Ark.  
Washington—Tampa, Fla.

## HELMANN MAY BE TRADED; DETROIT CONTRACT HAS YEAR

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 8.—Persistent rumors circulated since the close of the baseball season, have Harry Helmann, Detroit's slugger, going another American League club.

One report that gained wide circulation takes Helmann and two other Detroit players (still to be decided upon) to the Philadelphia Athletics for Edwin Rommel, Connie Mack's great knuckleball pitcher.

However, one fact that has not been published is that Helmann is under a two-year contract to the Detroit club and this contract runs through the season of 1923.

Helmann demanded \$15,000 last winter. The player and Frank J. Navin, president of the Detroit club, finally agreed upon a two-year contract at \$12,500 a season. Published reports said the contract was for one year and that gave grounds for the various rumors involving Helmann in trades.

Helmann was the batting champion of the American League in 1921. He finished fourth this year with an average of .356. He injured his shoulder in a collision at first base late in August and was out for the remainder of the season. This gave rise to another rumor—that Helmann's playing days were over.

Helmann, after spending some time in a hospital in Washington, was brought to Detroit where his collar bone was broken by surgeons and reset. He did not leave the hospital until a week before the season closed but the injury has entirely mended.

## COLLEGE SPORTS ARE IMPROVING

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 8.—College athletics are improving, but there is a tendency toward the commercial.

Dr. S. V. Sanford, president of the Southern Intercollegiate Conference, told members of that body here today that the second annual meeting of the association of colleges and universities was held in Atlanta.

He attributed much of the improvement to efforts of alumni.

Dr. Sanford sketched the history of athletics in southern schools, and recommended that the departments of physical education should be adopted by all conference colleges and athletic coaches elevated to membership on the faculty.

He questioned semi-professional baseball for collegians and recommended that such players should be denied the privilege of participating in college athletics.

The conference disapproved, at its session tonight, a motion to make all colleges comply with conference rules before scheduling contests with S. I. C. institutions. It also voted down a proposition to limit basketball season to twelve games. Members ran into a snag when the question of increasing the membership was brought up by an application from Virginia Military Institute. The application, finally being referred to the committee on colleges. It was recalled in discussions that an invitation had been extended V. M. I. at the time of organization, which was declined by Louisiana University, of New Orleans was also applicant for membership.

## KNEE BRACE LACKS OIL SLURGES PLAYER TO RETIRE

Paul Goebel, captain of the Michigan varsity eleven of 1922 and one of its best ends in the Western Conference, threw out his knee in place before the season opened. The injury did not mend and the knee insisted on coming out whenever Goebel strained it.

To enable Goebel to play, the Michigan trainers devised a steel brace—a huge T-shaped apparatus, attached above and below the knee gave Goebel fairly good leg action because of the hinge.

Before each game Goebel liberalized the hinge to get free action and also to prevent friction.

Goebel did not finish a game all season, for after playing a period of two, the constant action would oil the oil and then the steel would become so hot that Goebel could not continue playing.

In the Michigan-Illinois game the steel brace reached such a high temperature that the skin was badly burned.

## W. VA., TO PLAY OREGON ON CHRISTMAS DAY

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 8.—Announcement was made tonight that the West Virginia University football team has accepted an invitation to play the University of Oregon eleven at San Diego, on Christmas Day. West Virginia did not lose a game this season.

## ATHLETIC RULE LAID DOWN AT SCHOOL MEETING

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 8.—Athletic rulings to be included among the standards to which all member colleges must conform were laid down by officers elected and Richmond, Va. was chosen as next year's meeting place at the final session today of the 27th annual convention of the Association of Colleges and second schools of the southern states.

Spencer McCallis, of Chattanooga, was elected president, Miss Emmeline McVea, president of Sweet Briar College of Virginia, and C. C. Hanson of New Orleans, vice-presidents and Edwin D. Pursey, of Durham, N. C., secretary.

The new executive committee elected is composed of James H. Kirkland, Vanderbilt University; L. T. Baker, University of South Carolina; W. D. Hooper, University of Georgia; W. W. Guth of Goucher College, Baltimore, Md., and President Dinwiddie of Tulane University.

The retiring executive committee submitted its report to the convention this morning. It recommended that the association standards regarding athletics be made more specific with regard to:

Faculty control to the extent that final decision in all matters of athletic policy shall rest unequivocally with the faculty, rigid enforcement of entrance requirements and scholarship standards without discrimination in favor or against the athlete, elimination of the "sleeper" student from participation in intercollegiate athletics, abolition of the seasonal in favor of the full time coach, who shall rank as a member of the faculty, summary dismissals of a coach who lends himself in any way to the "practice of scouting" and who offers high school students inducements to attend his particular college, reduction of annual expenditures for intercollegiate athletics to amounts commensurate with other departments of the college and regulation of the amount of time devoted to athletics by limitations of the number of games in each season and by scheduling practices.

The recommendations of the committee were endorsed and the delegates voted to refer them to individual colleges for immediate action.

The report declared that while there is a healthy condition in athletics in the south the committee was of the opinion that there are certain existing abuses which should be corrected.

Summer baseball, as played by college students on professional or semi-professional teams, was frowned upon by the committee as opposed to the fundamental principle of amateurism.

## INTERMEDIATE SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE BASKET BALL GAMES

Calvary and Episcopal engaged in a great game. The score does not indicate how hard these two teams fought for mastery. Calvary won by the score of 19 to 8, but knew they were in a game at all times. Capt. Davis Ruffin and Capt. Davis were the individual stars but every man played as position in fine shape.

The line up:  
Calvary: Episcopal  
Fullard and Dudley ..... Flynn  
R. Farley ..... Ruffin  
K. Farley ..... Mobley  
Davis and Epperson ..... Wall  
Cook ..... Nolan

Field goals, Flynn 1, Ruffin - Cook 2, Davis 2, K. Farley 1, R. Farley 1, Dudley 1.  
Foul goals, Davis 4 out of 5, R. Farley 1 out of 1, Ruffin, 2 out of 4, Flynn, 1 out of 3.

Mt. Vernon defeated the Baptist boys in a close and hard fought game by the score of 17 to 5. Inability to shoot consistently was Baptist's worst fault, while several clever goals were scored by the Mt. Vernon boys. R. Ley was the high scorer with two field and four goals.

Both teams were fighting every minute for the advantage and it was only in the closing minutes of play that Mt. Vernon pulled ahead.

The line up:  
Mt. Vernon ..... Baptist  
Ruckland ..... Bruce and Franklin  
Turner ..... Rogers  
Ley ..... Clark  
McClay ..... Bass  
Tasley ..... Tucker

Field goals, Bruce 1, Rogers 1, Ruckland 1, Turner 1, Ley 2.  
Foul goals, Ley 4 out of 12, Clark 1 out of 5.

## DAVIS IS NOMINATED

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Dwight F. Davis, of St. Louis, donor of the famous trophy bearing his name and emblematic of the world's lawn tennis team championship, has been nominated to succeed Julian S. Myrick, of New York, as president of the United States Lawn Tennis Association. This announcement was made today by Holcombe Ward, of New York, chairman of the nominating committee of the U. S. L. T. A.

Mr. Davis was unanimous choice of the committee.

## PROTEST MADE AS TO COBB HIT

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Frederick G. Lieb, National President of the Baseball Writers' Association and the New York scorer who credited Ty Cobb with a doubtful hit in an Associated Press box score, declared in a formal statement today that "the American League had no authority to accept the unofficial score of the New York-Detroit baseball game, played May 15, 1922, in preference to the official score."

Cobb was credited with the disputed hit, thereby gaining an average of more than .400 for the third time, as a result of a decision by Ben Johnson, president of the American League, who asserted the Associated Press box score was used in preference to the official score, which, he added, was not authentic.

"My failure to agree with the official scorer in the disputed play," said Mr. Lieb, in making clear the circumstances around it, "was due to the fact that it was a rainy afternoon and John F. Kieran, the official scorer, had left the press box for the covered section of the stands. Had Mr. Kieran been in the press stand the Associated Press score compiled by me would have agreed with the official score."

"Obviously, when there was a difference of opinion between the scorers, the official and not the un-

## OWNERS TO HOLD MEETING DEC 13

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—(By The Associated Press)—Ben Johnson, president of the American League, in a telegram from Excelsior Springs, Mo., to the Associated Press tonight announced that the American League owners will hold their annual meeting in New York next Wednesday, December 13.

"American League meeting will be held in New York next Wednesday," the message said. "Earlier in the day it had been announced that the American League meeting would be held in Chicago on December 12."

The gathering of American League owners had originally been set by President Johnson for December 13 in Chicago.

## TY COBB GETS INTO DISPUTE

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 8.—Ty Cobb in a statement here today on the disputed hit in a game at New York last May, which has just been awarded him by President Ben Johnson of the American League, declared that "the several baseball writers who have so interested themselves in the 'disputed hit' should also turn their attention to what happened on my last trip to New York during the 1921 season."

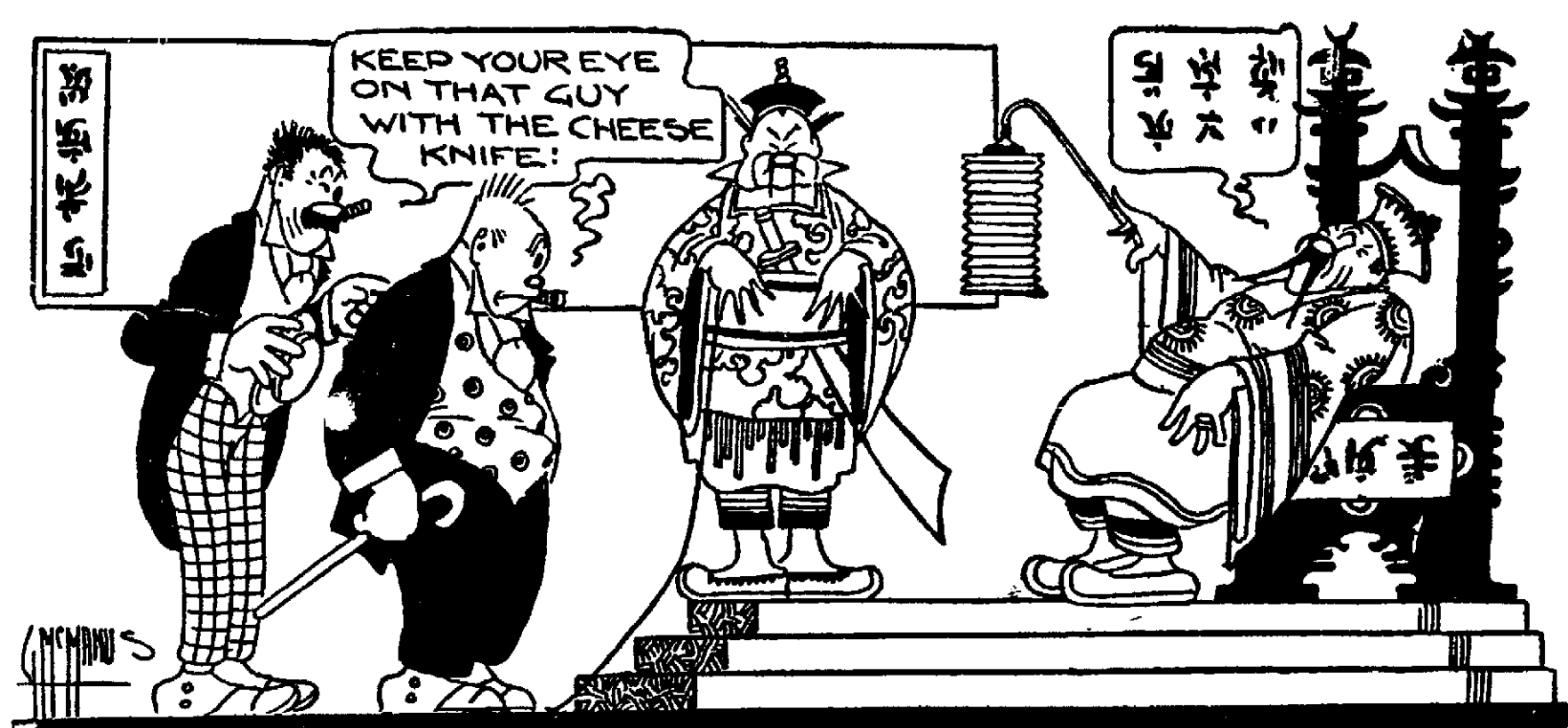
"Let them tell me and the public why it was that three safe hits were taken from me during that series and two times at bat added," he said. "I would also like an explanation as to why the official score in the 'disputed hit' game of last May was not authenticated," he continued.

Cobb declared that this is the first time he has had anything to say regarding the scoring at New York during the last series with Detroit in 1921. "I have tried to let it pass by," he stated, "but since they are raising such a commotion in New York over the disputed hit, let them investigate this matter also."

"Of course the public understands that I had nothing to do with President Johnson awarding me the hit in question," he concluded, "but since the aforementioned baseball writers are reported to have threatened to protest this action, I would also like for the scoring in that last series at New York in 1921 to be cleared up."

## ROANOKE GRID PLAYERS GIVEN THEIR LETTERS

SALEM, Va., Dec. 8.—At a meeting today of the General Athletic Board of Roanoke College, letters in football were awarded to the following players on the 1922 varsity: (left) Don Cook, of Norton; Jay Lutz, of Norton; Eugene Ould, of Roanoke; Willoughby Potter, of Troutville; George Caldwell, of Radford; Alex. "Quake" of Salem; Bentley Hite, of Snowville; "Toots" Loran, of Salem; Lynn Woods, of Salem; Gordon Hite, of Fargot; N. Dukk; Green, of Radford; Stanley Smoot, of Winchester; Francis Davies, of Waverland, Ind.; Scott Rollier, of Kingsport, Tenn.; and Fred Bussinger, of Wilmington, N. C. The manager's letter was awarded to Samuel H. Tainter, of Lewisburg, W. Va. With the exception of Lutz, Ould, and Rollier, who receive their letters next June, all members of this year's team are planning to return to Roanoke. The letter men will meet within a few days for the election of captain for 1923. Those most prominently mentioned for the captaincy are Logan, center; Caldwell, quarterback; and Hite, end. Archey S. Booker, Jr., of Bluefield, W. Va., has been elected manager of the team for 1923.



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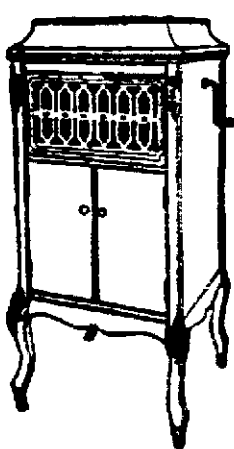
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## 140 Foot Bridge Moved 57 Feet To the New Site

YPSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 8.—A monster bridge, 140 feet long, with two trestles 150 feet high, and weighing 1,200 tons, was moved bodily for a distance of 57 feet here recently and workers who rode over the structure in the morning, at its former location, rode over it again in the evening, but in-between times the bridge had shifted position 57 feet.

It was a feat of engineering, but the structure was relocated without a hitch, and engineers' calculations were so perfect that when the bridge was finally set on its new piers it was in perfect alignment in every way with the street railroad tracks at either end.

When the engineers and their "gang" got ready to move the huge structure, the men merely cut the trestle legs at either end of the bridge, a few Italian laborers pulled up the rails at the bridge ends, and then a huge gang announced "all set" and the moving began.

An improvised railroad was used to rest the bottom girders of the bridge on. Fifteen jackscrews furnished motive power. The bridge was moved about six feet an hour.

Pedestrians were permitted to use the bridge while being moved, and hundreds did so. So smoothly did things go that those who stood on the structure during its progress southward were unable to detect any movement—but she was going all right, steadily and surely.

They moved the bridge in a day. That to the ordinary person, would seem to be the big end of the job—moving the bridge. But, in fact, it was merely an incident. The real work was getting things ready to move it.

Six busy weeks preparing for this great job. Everything was figured out to the most minute fraction of an inch. Then the plans were checked and rechecked to make sure they were correct. One element of uncertainty was whether the trackage would hold up, sink in some unforeseen "soft spot" in the terrain or slide.

With a mighty bridge on the move, if these things happened up, the bridge might give a quick inch-long flop and collapse. Every inch of ground was tested thoroughly.

The bridge is located in what is known as Jack's Run, in what formerly was old Allegheny City, now a part of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Bellevue, a suburb.

Several noted engineers were present to watch the moving.

## JURY FAILS TO ACQUIT OR CONVICT CHIROPRACTORS

WINCHESTER, Dec. 8.—A corporation court jury failed this afternoon to acquit or convict K. W. and J. R. Adams, chiropractors, formerly of South Boston, charged with practicing medicine without a certificate issued by the state board of medical examiners and also practicing medicine without a license. The jury was discharged.

The men have been found guilty three times in police court within two months, and noted appeals. They were represented by three lawyers in today's trial. Most of the jury favored acquittal.

## MRS. FORD HAS MADE ADMISSION

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 8.—Mrs. May D. Ford, who faces a charge of plotting against the life of her husband, Nov. 7, Ford, a wealthy Wayne County farmer, admitted tonight that she might have negotiated with a "gunman" for the slaying, during one of the mental lapses to which she said she was subject.

"A Detroit doctor knows of my physical and mental condition and will bear me out in the statement I am making," she said. "I am a nervous wreck and should have been in a hospital months ago." Mrs. Ford said.

"I have met a detective and devised a plan whereby my husband was to be killed. I don't remember it. I do forget things. There have been times during the past few months that I did things and forget completely about them."

Her statement was made before the prosecutor's staff, after a day of questioning during which she contended her arrest last night and in frame up by her estranged husband.

Mrs. Ford was arraigned this afternoon, entered plea of not guilty and was remanded for trial. Tonight she had not been able to make bond of \$25,000.

With his wife in custody, Ford declared today he had put away fears for his life for the first time in a week. He denied he had any connection with his wife's arrest. His attorney had warned him some days ago, he said, against living at his farm.

## CAPAINS RACE ON BIG LINERS

MANILA, Dec. 8.—Facts concerning the race between the Empress of Russia, a Canadian-Pacific liner, and the President Grant, a Shipping Board boat of the Admiral Line, were obtained here through the chief engineer of the President Grant.

The Canadian steamer left Hong Kong two hours after the President Grant. Early the next morning the Empress was in sight and in a short time came tearing up behind the President Grant, which was making her regular allotted speed of 17.5 knots per hour.

The President Grant at a distance of only about 300 feet with a head wind and colors flying and with the passengers of the Empress casting glances at the passengers of the other boat. Suddenly the President Grant picked up speed and soon passed the Empress of Russia and lost sight of her far behind. Owing to a blowout of one of the condensing tubes the President Grant was forced to slow down to one-third speed, at which time the Empress again overtook the Admiral line boat.

Considerable agitation has been started to permit the Admiral boats to travel at a speed of 21 knots an hour, which is near full speed. Skipper Jensen, who piloted the ship in the race, was laid off for one trip for violation of the Shipping Board rules, which prohibit Shipping Board boats from traveling at a greater speed than 17.5 knots an hour.

## WOMAN IS EXPERT

Great Britain has a woman electrical engineer who is also an expert in the science of radio. She is Miss Elizabeth Marbridge of Exeter. She has invented several electric appliances and has lately devoted her attention to radio improvements.

# Bright Future For Helen Gahagan

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—This is Helen Gahagan's eighth week on the stage and the critics are already calling her a second Duse, a second Bernhardt, a second Ethel Barrymore.

She bears a close physical resemblance to the last but she isn't a second anybody. She's a new, distinct personality and 50 years hence some other young actress will be called a second Helen Gahagan.

Miss Gahagan is leading woman in Franz Molnar's "Fashions for Men." It is a quiet drama, yet deeply moving. In the first two acts you believe Molnar is parodying for a sardonic thrust at the Biblical assertion "Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth."

But Molnar is orthodox after all, even though he didn't seem so in "Lahom." In the third act of "Fashions for Men" he has his self-acknowledging hero inherit the earth. Another version of "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" is told.

A small haberdashery is sufficient background for Molnar to set off a story of cleverness of comedy and pathos, of human weakness and strength. He reveals the high lights in commonplace lives. And for the



HELEN GAHAGAN. strength. He reveals the high lights in commonplace lives. And for the

purposes of the story he could not have found a more suitable hero than O. P. Heggie.

The hero is repeatedly hurt. His wife goes away with a clerk who throws him into bankruptcy. A girl clerk follows him to a job given him by a patronizing nobleman in order that she may win the nobleman's attention and wealth. The hero's very guilelessness alarms those who would deceive him. In the end the girl falls in love with him and he prospers in business.

The list of mystery thrillers grows. The latest is "Listening In." A story of a haunted house in which an ectoplasm endeavors to thrill the audience. It makes fair melodrama, but falls below the standard of preceding thrillers which enjoy the fat patronage that this age was evidently destined to participate in.

Little Nell and the mortgage on the old homestead serve as objects for broad burlesque set to music in "Our Nell." Watching the theatre poke fun at itself is highly amusing.

## Premiers Reach London For Most Critical Meeting

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(By The Associated Press)—The premiers of France, Italy and Belgium with staffs of financial experts, arrived in London today for what is generally described as the most critical conference of the four years succession of conferences which have struggled to fix definite and final reparations terms for Germany.

Mr. Bonar Law will enter his first conference as prime minister. The French had come to regard Mr. Lloyd George as a friendly towards Germany, and thus far Mr. Bonar Law's utterances of policy to give direct encouragement, they hope, as expressed in French quarters tonight, to find him more sympathetic toward France than his predecessor.

Premier Mussolini of Italy is a man of mystery. No one knows what he has in mind so far as the reparations subject is concerned, but there are many who hold strong belief that if the chance offers he will demand for Italy a full share of any German payments decided upon. He came to London on a late train and was welcomed vociferously by a gathering of his compatriots.

Great Britain's attitude in the conference will be a receptive one. So far as known, the government has framed no program, but Premier Poincare will bring full plans for a settlement with Germany, which is looking for a program with deepest interest and anxiety, while it is expected that Germany, who long has been accused of failure to make constructive proposals, will send from its new chancellor, Herr Cuno, an outline of what he professes to think Germany can do.

America is wholly outside the meeting, but U. S. words, United States, cannot be dissociated with it.

Some opinions are still clinging to the belief that Great Britain and the United States might cooperate in a big loan to Germany, in case such a loan is proposed, coupling the idea with the suggestion that Germany use at least half of the proceeds of the loan to pay France, which would mean that for a long period part of the payment of Germany's indemnity to France would be shifted to the shoulders of those two solvent nations.

Another problem which is puzzling commentators deeply is the presence in London of the American Ambassadors Fletcher and Houghton. The American diplomats have been waiting for two days to meet Ambassador Harvey who is detained at Warwick Castle by the illness of his wife. The newspapers will have it that the United States proposes to take some sensational part in the present negotiations, but from other quarters which should be best informed, comes a statement that the presence of the Americans has no greater significance than that the American diplomats are beginning the practice of meeting together for discussion of affairs of general interest to their government. The presence in Europe of Senator McCormick has started another rumor in the newspapers of alleged mysterious American activity.

Mr. McCormick, as President Harding's friend and adviser and suggesting, as they did when he made a previous tour, that he is acting for the President as a "second Colonel House."

## GRIME OF YEARS TO BE SCOURED FROM THE ABBEY

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The exterior of Westminster Abbey is to be transformed. Already the workmen are beginning their fight against ten centuries of London's dust and grime, and 1924 will see the ancient fabric shining forth as no man yet has ever seen it.

At present its wonderful exterior is encrusted with three inches of dirt, and the stones laboriously peeled together by the hands of the ancient monks are slowly crumbling. Carving that took the early craftsmen years to contrive is gradually melting away, and a very short space of time would see it vanish in the ordinary course of affairs.

Happily all this is to be prevented. Sufficient funds have been raised, not merely to prevent further decay but to restore.

No man ever saw the abbey at its best.

For three centuries the monks worked upon it as their particular act of religious devotion. But even by the time the last of them finished his labors it was already beginning to fall into decay.

HIGH SCHOOL OFFICIALS  
HORNELL BOOZE AT PARTIES  
HORNELL, N. Y., Dec. 8.—Either liquor or high school class parties must go.

That is the verdict of Principal Albert Gault, of Hornell High School. The ultimatum of Professor Tuttle follows: "If the school authorities discover that at a recent high school junior-senior class party not a few of the youths indulged in too much illicit booze."

## Clemenceau Ends Washington Visit With An Address

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—(By The Associated Press)—Georges Clemenceau, closing his visit to Washington this afternoon with a "formal" address, expressed the hope that diplomatic efforts would find the way to bring America back into European affairs through what he interpreted as an "overture" by President Harding in the annual message the executive had read to Congress a few hours earlier.

"I was greatly comforted," said the war time premier of France, "when I read in the message of your President the following lines:

"They are not very long, but they are very suggestive:

"The four-power pact, which abolishes every probability of war on the Pacific, has brought a new confidence in maintained peace, and I can well believe it might be made a model for like assurances wherever in the world common interests are concerned."

When Clemenceau's reference to the President's message was called to the attention of the White House, it was said that there was no comment to be made and that there was no intention of elaborating on the President's statement to Congress.

Clemenceau's address, delivered before an audience which included many diplomats, government officials, and members of both Houses of Congress, was in its essence a "peace message." He first delivered in Chicago. But, apparently sensing that official Washington would judge him and his mission by his speech, he spoke deliberately, and chose his words with great precision.

"My message is peace," he exclaimed. "Peace by any means. You have got the League of Nations, you have got your three power arrangement, you may do something new if you like. I do not ask for money."

Although he touched lightly on the charges of "militarism" and "imperialism" against France, and reiterated his statement that France had every intention of paying her debts to America, he did not prefer a tripartite agreement of America, Great Britain and France, which he asserted could cure most of the ills of Europe.

The "Tiger" on his arrival was given an ovation both outside and inside the big marble memorial to the revolutionary heroes. He came directly from a luncheon with Chairman Henry Cabot Lodge of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The treaty of Versailles, Clemenceau said, had been drafted largely by America's representatives, and he declared this country ought to help enforce it. France, he went on, had a right to accept the American delegation's attitude with regard to the treaty as that of the nation.

## FRANK BACON IS LAID AT REST

SAN JOSE, Dec. 8.—Frank Bacon, known to the theatrical world and the art lovers throughout the country as "Lightnin' Bill Jones" who died in Chicago recently was laid to rest in the Alta Mesa Cemetery at Mountain View today with impressive rites and amid a veritable bower of flower tributes. From ten o'clock this morning until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the body of the beloved actor rested in the Masonic Temple there and hundreds fied past to pay their final tribute. Old friends of Bacon acted as honorary and active pall bearers.

Business in the town of Mountain View was suspended while his inhabitants passed by the bier, or followed it in its silent course to the resting place.

## HOLDEN IS CHAIRMAN

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Hale Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad has been elected chairman of the new executive committee of 34 of the re-organized Association of Railway Executives. It was announced today. The association yesterday decided to leave vacant the post of chairman of the association held by the late Thomas Wentworth Cuyler and to substitute the new executive committee.

## MANY NEW SCHOOLS ARE UNDER WAY NOW IN L. A.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 8.—Building of public schools in Los Angeles has launched upon a programme never equalled by any other city in the country, disregarding school attendance and population, according to C. E. Seaman, president of the Board of Education.

## ENGLISH FEUD STILL ALIVE

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Colonel Leopold Amery, head of the British Navy, and Winston Churchill, one of his predecessors in office, are still conducting a feud in public which began 35 years ago.

Amery was head of the great school at Harrow, Winston was a cocky, cheeky little boy. At the swimming pool he insisted in checking the great "man" in public. Thereupon Amery threw him, clothes and all, into the pool. And Winston never forgave.

The quarrel continued. When Amery was the leading star at Oxford University Winston was an almost unknown cavalry officer and Amery laughed at him. But Winston became a member of the Cabinet before Amery could succeed in getting into the House of Commons and he returned the laugh with all the emphasis in his power, both socially and in public.

Now Amery has mounted the seats of the mighty and Churchill, for the time being, is out in the cold. There will be some merry passages between them in the new House of Commons.

## Personals

—Mrs. Jas. T. Catlin, 12 Cape at her home on West Main.

—Miss Emily Herndon has returned from a delightful visit to New York City.

—Harry the attractive little boy, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee, who had his tonsils removed at the Danville hospital, is getting along fine and will soon be out.

**MUNYON'S**  
Paw-Paw  
**TONIC**  
WITH IRON AND NUX  
Makes the Weak Strong  
Tones the Nerves  
Stimulates Digestion  
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MOST boys like to make things. If your boy is handy with tools, he will surprise you with the many useful and entertaining things he can make with



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The satisfying thing about Cornell-Wood-Board is the way it serves and looks well for a long time. It's made to. It's mill-primed ready for paint or calcimine; or its oatmeal-finish looks well without. It's triple-sized to resist heat, cold, and moisture—made to "stay put."

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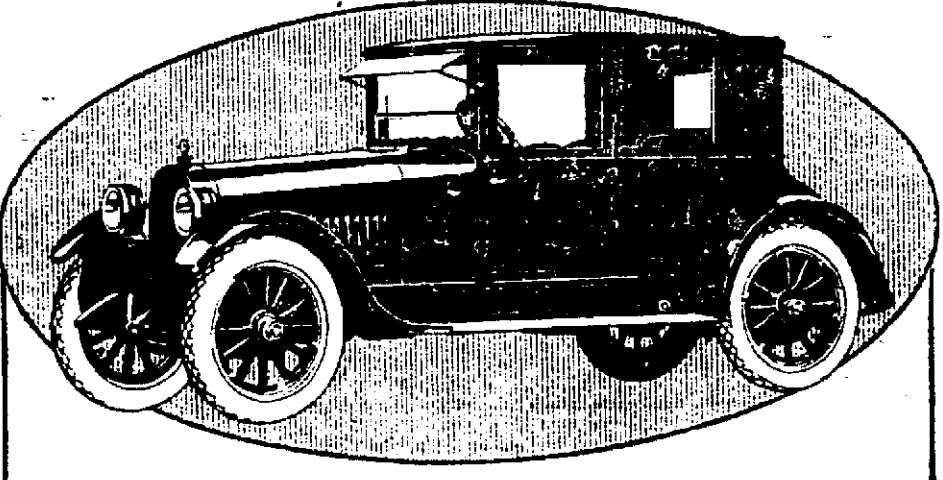
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Free yourself from your cough and your cold. Disagreeable phlegm cleared away; scratchy, tender membranes soothed; cough checked; cold broken up. Now, today—ask your druggist for

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Coach \$1625 Freight and Tax Extra

It gives every essential closed car advantage, at little more than the cost of the open model. It has a beauty of line you will like. It is the pride of thousands, because of appearance, comfort and utility.

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## CHINATOWN ALICE HAD KILLED HERSELF—

AND Sing Loy, to whom she had been wife in name only was mourning at her bier.

Into this vortex of underworld tragedy and suffering Kate Ward, beautiful young widow, had been drawn.

Because, locked in the dead breast of Chinatown Alice, was the one thing Kate wanted to know: Had her husband been true to her?

This is only one of the amazing situations brought out in the Bee's new woman's page serial.

**"THE ONE-MAN WOMAN"**  
By Ruth Ames Abeling

One of the most dramatic of newspaper serials, baring the most secret details of a true woman's love life. Read the first installment in

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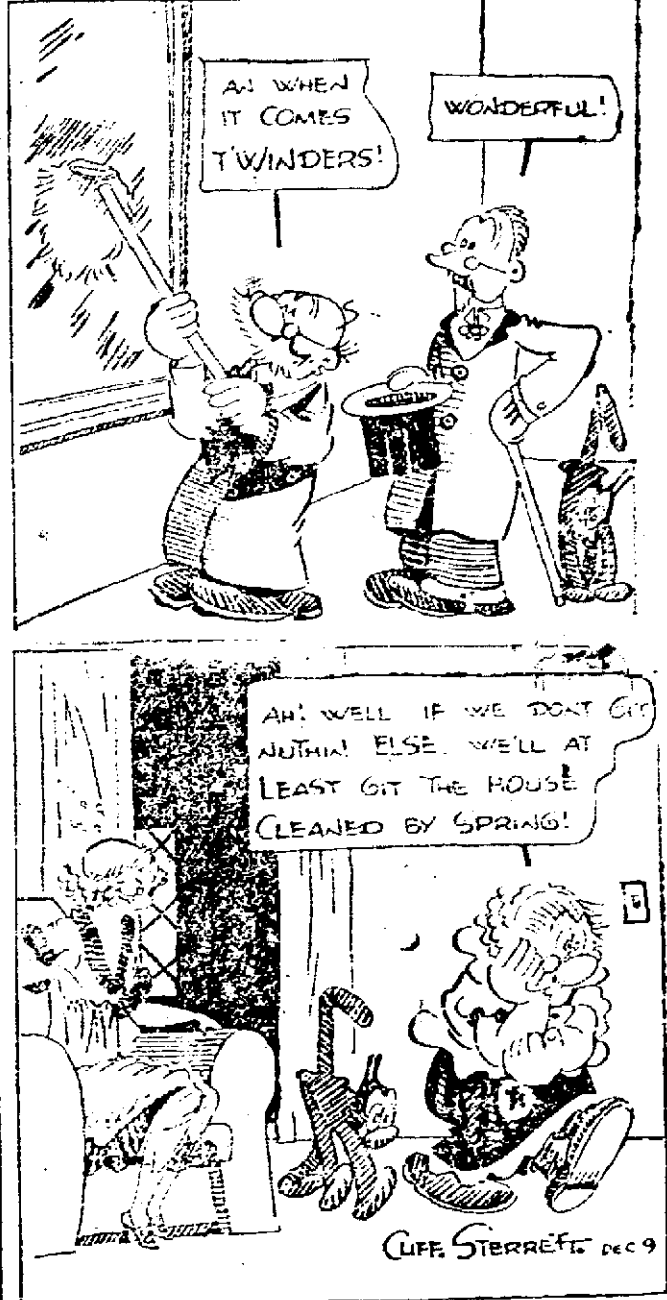
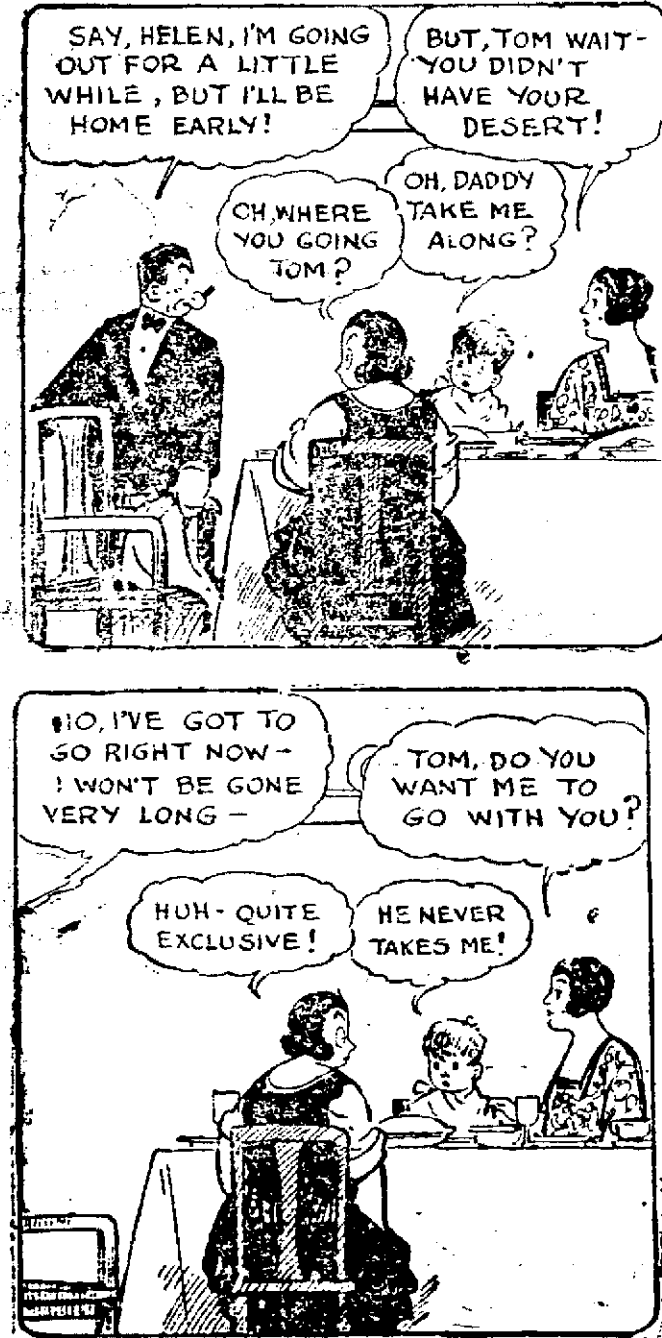
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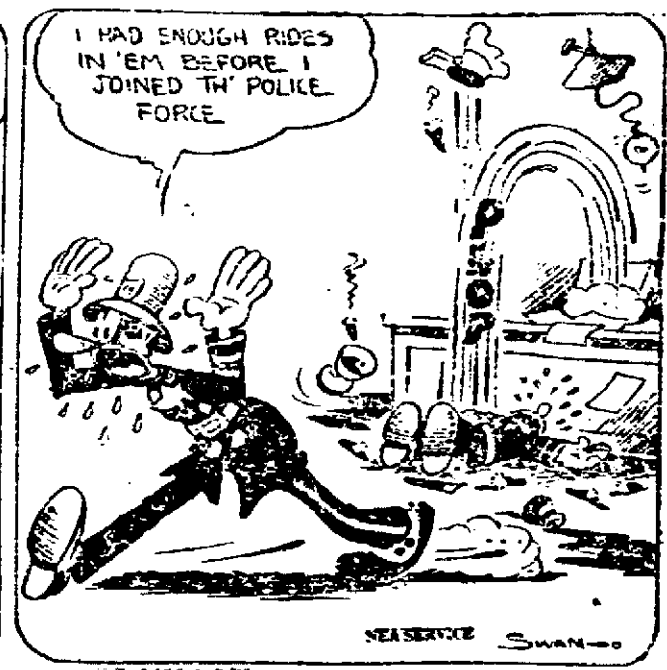
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10c a line Register or Bee, less 10 per cent. for 10 consecutive insertions.  
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All Want Ads are payable in advance.  
Want Ads, the cheapest way to advertise. The Register and Bee have over 60,000 daily readers.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

LEE PIANO CO., INC., OPEN evenings till Christmas. Select your piano, player or grand now, as there will be a shortage. R&B

## SHEET MUSIC

We have just received a large shipment of the very latest hits in sheet music. Some of our big sellers: "Homesick," "Call Me Back Pal o' Mine," "Japanese Moon," "Sugar Blues," "He May Be Your Man," "Plumper Walk," "Three O'clock in the Morning," "For the Sake of Auld Lang Syne," "Coal Black Mammy," "Love Sends a Gift of Roses," "My Buddy." Sheet music, Columbia records and music rolls. You can always find what you want in music here. Benefield Motley & Co. The standard music store. 12-8 R&B

## HOW TO LIVE LONG

and enjoy good health. Rise at 6 a. m., drink glass of water, eat breakfast and after each meal eat one glass between meals, work 10 hours a day, retire 9 p. m. In a short while you feel like a "new person." 12-9 R&B

A GIFT THAT THE WHOLE FAMILY will enjoy every day for a year is a yearly subscription to The Register or The Bee. Phone 21 now, or better still call at the business office.

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OUR BUSINESS—WE SELL ALL lines insurance. Call or see Jno. W. urn, 39 Arcade Building, Phone 1795. 12-11 R&B

## CLOTHES WASHED 5c

sent for and delivered. Phone 1232, Danville Damp Laundry, 513 N. Union St. 11-15 Bim

FOR SALE—LUMBER, WOOD IN rough. Save your money. C. B. and J. M. Smith. 11-11 Bim

## Special Tire & Tube Sale

30x3 1-2 cord tires ..... \$5.75  
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Tubes, grey ..... \$1.25  
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AUTO TIRE SALES CO.  
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WHEN YOU THINK OF GIVING a Xmas present, give something new and stylish in furniture. Take trip to J. J. Hyler Fur Co. Schoolfield, Jones Building. 12-5 Bst

LET US WASH YOUR CLOTHES, 5c a lb., we call for and deliver, phone 921 for wagon. Wet Wash Laundry. 10-17 Bst

LET US WASH YOUR CLOTHES, 5c a lb., we call for and deliver, phone 921 for wagon. Wet Wash Laundry. 11-1 Bst

BOOTH'S DRUG STORE  
Open all day Sunday and half the night.  
Beat Result

## THE BUILDING BOOM

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The building boom here shows no signs of abatement. Permits issued last month totaled \$20,000,000, a gain of \$5,000,000 over the previous month. Building material dealers report that an unusual amount of construction work is being figured on at present and sash and door factories and planing mills here today are running at capacity.

## CONDUCTING CAMPAIGN

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8.—The Chamber of Commerce here is conducting a campaign among school children to interest them in other than "white collar" jobs. Pamphlets are being distributed along the wages factors and the importance of giving views and descriptions of ideal factories and the opportunities work in them presents.

## AUTOMOBILES

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8.—Extra large shipments of motor cars recently have forced the railroads to provide special equipment for unloading these shipments speedily. Cranes and hoists at platforms have been erected where automobiles can be most readily handled.

## DRY GOODS

HOUSTON, Dec. 8.—Christmas trade in dry goods is well under way today with chief demand for goods of the better qualities. There is no special trend toward buying of useful gifts.

## FLOUR

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 8.—Flour production at Southwestern mills continues at a rate well in excess of December, 1921.

## CORN

FORT WORTH, Dec. 8.—Corn is being held for higher prices by Texas and Oklahoma growers today.

## WHEAT

AMARILLO, Texas, Dec. 8.—Many Panhandle grain fields which have been dry six months because of drought are green again today and are beginning to predict big crops next year.

## SHOES

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8.—"They all want low shoes," declared a dealer today in commenting on the buying by girls and young women. "We cannot sell our \$10 high shoes for \$2," he added.

## IRON AND STEEL

CHISHOLM, Minn., Dec. 8.—The Oliver Mining Company has asked for bids for the construction of a tower for the ironing here. The buildings involved will cost approximately \$200,000.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OVER COATS—AT AL-**  
most your own price. M. Koplen, 126 N. Union St. 12-6 R&B 7c

For Taxi Phone 1622  
12-3 R&B 6c

## WATCH THIS SPACE!

SHU-DOC. Health, Economy-Comfort, have your shoes repaired in time, will save taking a lot of quinine. Danville Shu-Doc, Phone 941. 11-21 R&B 7c

**WE ARE COMPELLED**  
to reduce our stock of high grade clothing. Shoes, hats, caps, and gent's furnishings goods at once. Lower prices will never be offered. M. Koplen, 126 N. Union St. 12-6 R&B 7c

**THE BEST IS ALWAYS**  
the cheapest. Call Farley Plumbing and Heating Co. RR 11.

## REAL ESTATE

Classified Ads in the Register and Bee will bring you a buyer at a small cost. W. R. EDMUNDS & COMPANY, Real Estate and Plumbing, 311 Craghead Street. Phone 2137 and 1357. R&B

LEE PIANO CO., INC., OPEN evenings till Christmas. Select your piano, player or grand now, as there will be a shortage. R&B

**\$40,000 STOCK OF BOY'S**  
youth's and men's clothing. Shoes, hats, caps, and gent's furnishings goods at greatly reduced prices. Our lower price will make you one of our regular customers. M. Koplen, 126 N. Union St. 12-6 R&B 7c

SAVE MONEY BY BUYING YOUR furniture at the new furniture store. High class and low prices, come and see for yourself. J. J. Hyler, Fur Co. Schoolfield, Jones Building. 12-5 Bst

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"STAR BRAND" SHOES ARE better. Dodson's Shoe Store, 123 N. Union street. 12-5 Bst

I DO ALL KINDS OF CARPENTER work. Let me rebuild your steps and porch. I do skilled work, write to Mr. E. E. Saunders, P. O. Box, 305 Schoolfield, Va. 12-8 Bst

## WANTED—ROOMS

WANTED—TWO OR THREE furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address Box 50 care Bee. 12-7 R&B 3c

## FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—3-ROOM COTTAGE immediate possession. Phone 166.

FOR RENT—5 ROOM HOUSE ON W. Paxton St. Modern improvements. Apply J. Rosenberg, opp. Bee office. 12-8 Bst R sun

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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The undersigned will, on Wednesday, the 13th day of December, 1922, at the courtroom of the State Corporation Commission, Richmond, Va., publish and file revised rules and regulations governing the transportation of explosives and other dangerous articles by express, including specifications for shipping containers, between points in Virginia, in conformity with the findings of the Interstate Commerce Commission in its Case No. 3565, applicable to Interstate transportation. Southeastern Express Company, by J. H. BARRETT, Traffic Mgr. 12-9 Bst

**Busy Times**  
Whether you are Christmas shopping early or late you will likely be busy right up until the glad day. One way to save bother is to send the household linens and wearing apparel to our laundry where you need not have another thought about it. Turn the package over to us and we will deliver it at your door when you want it. Get in touch with us. Join our long list of pleased customers and be happy. The Star Laundry, phone for the wagon—No. 85—Adv. R&B

## "ORDER PUBLICATION."

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**VIRGINIA.**  
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville, on the 25th day of November, 1922.

Elizabeth W. Harrington ..... Plaintiff  
against  
H. L. Harrington ..... Defendant

**IN CHANCERY.**  
The object of this suit is to obtain from the said Court a decree divorcing the plaintiff Elizabeth W. Harrington, a minor, et al. from the said defendant, H. L. Harrington, upon the grounds of abandonment and desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and duly filed that the said defendant, H. L. Harrington, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that he do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order once a week for four successive weeks in the Bee a newspaper published in the City of Danville, Virginia, and what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A Copy Teste: JNO. R. COOK, Clerk.  
Harry Wooding, Jr. F. C. 11-25-B sat 4c

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## FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—SEVERAL NICE building lots at New Design. H. E. Ferguson. 12-9 Bst

FOR SALE—MEDIUM SIZE upright Knabe piano; plain mahogany case; bench and cover; in perfect condition; reasonable. Address "Owner" care Register. 12-9 R&B 4c

FOR SALE—GIRL'S BICYCLE in perfect condition; bargain price. J. H. Oakes & Son, Market St. 12-9 R&B 4c

SPLendid CHICKERING miniature Grand Piano takes up same amount of room as an upright, used short time, price new \$1250.00, our price only \$750.00. Terms \$450.00 cash or Lee Piano Co., opp. Y. M. C. A., W. D. Kyle, Manager. 12-7 R&B 3c

FOR SALE—STERO-type mats, 18x23 inches, best for lining outhouses; \$1.25 a hundred. Register office. 10-26 R&B 7c

FINE TONED USED STECK BABY Grand Piano, thoroughly overhauled. In first class condition ideal for church school or home, only \$450.00 cash or terms. See it at Lee Piano Co., Lee-land Block, W. D. Kyle, Manager. 12-7 R&B 3c

FOR SALE—50 FOOT LOT, CLAY street, H. E. Ferguson. 12-9 Bst

FOR SALE—ONE 15 HORSE power horizontal steam engine in good shape. This engine can be seen at the Danville Laundry Company's new plant 520 Loyal St. or see S. T. Martin. Phone 1658. The Danville Laundry. 12-5 R&B wed fri sat

**WAGONS FOR SALE**  
One and two-horse farm wagons; two spring delivery wagons, prices 18.00. Danville Wagon Co. 10-23 R sun wed fri B tu thu sat 4c

WOOD, WOOD, WOOD, PHONE 4211, big load seasoned wood, \$3.00 prompt delivery. 12-4 Bst

FOR SALE—MODERN AND UP-to-date electric shoe shop on Main Street. Apply to A. Budowitch, 272 Craghead St. 12-3 Rst. Bst

AIRDEAD PUPS MAKE IDEAL Xmas presents for the kiddies, we have some very fine pedigreed pups for sale, make reservation for yours at once. Fairview Kennels, Greensboro, N. C. 12-2 Bst

FOR SALE—A FULL STOCK of groceries and meat market, with modern fixtures, lease on store from 3 to 5 yrs. Address "Grocery" care Bee. 12-7 Bst

HELLO, 2293. YES WE HAVE plenty good, dry pine wood, \$2.00 per load. Thank you, call again. Phone 2293. 12-3 Bst

FOR SALE—1 2 HORSE DRAY and double set of harness, cheap at \$50.00. Phone 2293. 12-5 Bst

FOR SALE—NICE LEVEL LOT fronting 70 feet on North Main extension. Terms if desired. Patton, Temple & Williamson. 12-9 Bst

LOOK—THIS IS THE PLACE for you if you want to buy furniture or sell your furniture. Sam Motley, Exchange Warehouse, Phone 1659-W. 12-9 Bst

## FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—ONE FURNISHED room convenient to car line. Phone 558-W. 12-9 Bst

FOR RENT—CONVENIENT steam heated room for gentlemen. Phone 1365. 12-9 Bst

FOR RENT—THREE UNFURNISHED rooms, apply 587 Berryman avenue. 12-8 Bst

FOR RENT—4 NICE ROOMS FOR housekeeping. Also one steam heated room. Phone 536. 12-7 R&B 3c

## FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—FORD COUPE A-1 condition, price reasonable, address XY care Bee office. 12-9Bst Rst

## AUCTION SALE.

AUCTION SALE THURS. 14TH. at my home, 10:30 a. m. Household and kitchen furniture and farming implements. Also grain binder, feed and two cows. Geo. W. O'Brian, Franklin Turnpike, 5 miles north of Danville. 12-9 B sat we R su th

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Hannah Gayle ..... Plaintiff  
against  
W. H. Gayle ..... Defendant

**IN CHANCERY.**  
The object of this suit is to obtain from the said Court a decree divorcing the plaintiff, Hannah Gayle, a vinculo matrimonii from the said defendant, W. H. Gayle, upon the grounds of adultery and desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and duly filed that the said defendant, W. H. Gayle, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that he do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order once a week for four successive weeks in the Bee a newspaper published in the City of Danville, Virginia, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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## FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—1920 FORD TOURING, 1916 Ford roadster, 1917 Ford sedan, 1916 Ford touring. All above cars are in good condition. Powell Motor Co., 208 N. Main St., Phone 1373. 12-5 Btu thu sat

## SITUATIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED—BY MARRIED man 32 years old, good at figures can furnish best of reference, address "A. L." c/o Bee. 12-3-R Sun, Wed. Sat.—B. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs.

## HOUSES WANTED.

WANT TO HEAR FROM OWNER having farm for sale; give particulars and lowest price. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 11-25 B sat 3c

## WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—TO KNOW WHY everyone that needs furniture don't buy the new style furniture just put in stock at J. J. Hyler Fur Co. Schoolfield, Jones Bldg. 12-5 Bst

WANTED—USED DRESSERS, iron beds, wardrobes, etc. If you have any furniture to sell call 2652. 12-8 R&B 2c

WANTED—TO EQUIP YOUR Ford car, closed or open, with an exhaust heater, \$1.75 installed, Crowell Auto Co. 12-7 B&B 3c

WANTED—SOFT WHITE RAGS; no strings; used in cleaning machinery; 5c per pound given for good rags. The Register office. 11-18 R&B 7c

## FOR RENT—STORES

FOR RENT—JAN. 1ST. STORE 120 So. Union St., formerly occupied by Carroll Tire Co., also 118 So. Union, formerly occupied by Brown Electric Co., apply R. A. James, Jr., Register office. 12-7 R&B 4c

## FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—FOUR ROOM COTTAGE, near Schoolfield on Greensboro road. Price \$500.00. White R. M. Chatterin, Phone 1732, R. No. 4, Danville, Va. 12-3 Rst Bst

FOR SALE—5 ROOM COTTAGE, good condition, modern conveniences, \$3,500.00. Terms if desired. Waddell-Holland and Co. Inc. 12-7 R&B 2c each.

FOR SALE—6 ROOM DWELLING E. Stokes, price \$3,250; 3-room dwelling, W. Paxton, price \$3,000. E. B. Meade Co., Inc. 12-7 Bst

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FOR SALE—NICE NEW BUNGALOW, Walker street, Patton, Temple & Williamson. 12-9 Bst

## LOST AND FOUND.

STRAYED FROM PREMISES—Brown collie pup, bob-tail white face, neck, feet. Return to 927 Green St. for reward. 12-9 B&R

LOST—MY SILVER HANDLE umbrella, name on same. Reward, return to John L. Penn. 12-9 Bst

LOST—LIVER SPOTTED FEMALE pointer. Phone 1895-J. Reward. 12-8 R&B 2c

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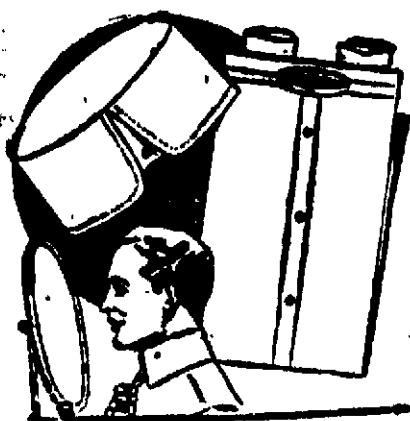
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## Concerning The Spread of Birth Control Movement

By MRS. MARGARET SANGER  
Leader of Birth Control Movement  
WITHIN the span of a single generation I see birth control established both in public opinion, as desirable and necessary, and in practice in all strata of society.



MRS. SANGER

genists, like Professor E. W. Macbride, by economists, like John Maynard Keynes and Harold Cox, and by statisticians like Horatio Pollock, that only through the deliberate restriction of births could society escape a catastrophe which will submerge our present civilization.

The statement of the old world already face to face with the problem. The solution of it is at hand, under the leadership of writers and statesmen, will create a demand for a change in our present policy.

In making this prediction I have also vividly in mind the reaction with which the ideas of birth control are being accepted in Japan, China and India.

China—the home of conservatism—can adapt itself to this idea, surely it cannot be far from the conservation of certain groups in the United States, England and France is compelled to give way before the new forces which are before him the movement for birth control.

In reply to the question, what is the purpose of birth control? I would say briefly that birth control opens the way to a new and better civilization and freer, finer, nobler human race.

It will free women from their age-long slavery to unwilling motherhood. It will insure that each child born into the world shall be welcome, and shall have a fair chance of both sound mind and healthy body as well as of adequate support and care from its parents, and opportunity in life, in a social system free from the overcrowding of the present day.

It will banish war—so far as war has been due to over-population and the demand of a nation which is strong and aggressive for a place in the sun for its ever-increasing numbers.

It will raise the level of living for the workers, for the supply will not be so greatly in excess of the demand as to cause unemployment and the crowding down of wages.

It will diminish the burdens of taxation and charity and so release the more thrifty members of the community and enable them to sustain their numbers.

I have no plan for imposing birth control on the nation by law. Our aim is rather to sweep away legislation which now prevents access to birth control knowledge.

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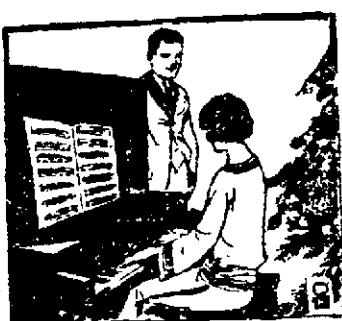
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The young women, who are teachers in the Advance High School, four miles from Edenton, were conducting a rehearsal for a school entertainment. They were assisting in pumping up an acetylene lamp when it exploded, and they were rushed to Edenton where they were given medical attention. They will recover.



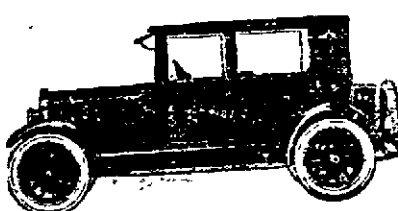
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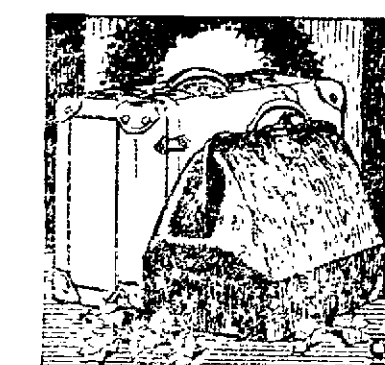
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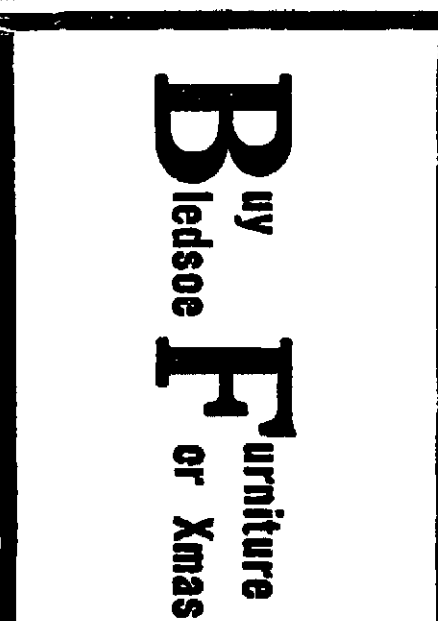
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## J. C. PENNEY, BOSS OF 371 STORES, INSURES LIFE FOR \$3,000,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—A man unknown to the public stands today third among business men whose lives are insured for millions.

The newcomer is James C. Penney of White Plains, Chairman of the Board of the J. C. Penney Corporation, No. 370 Seventh Avenue, who operates a chain of clothing stores in twenty-nine states. His life insurance totals \$3,000,000, of which \$1,500,000 was taken out recently in a single policy.

Rodman Wanamaker Leads. Ahead of him are Rodman Wanamaker, with policies aggregating \$1,500,000, and Pierre du Pont, who carries insurance of \$4,000,000, while beside him stands John Wanamaker, with \$2,000,000.

Unheard of twenty years ago, Penney has expanded his first clothing store at Kemmerer, Wyo., to a continental proposition, built up the first capitalization of \$300,000, and with sales this year exceeding \$50,000,000, and today is almost as well known as when he began. His "Golden Rule" stores, 371 of them, are chiefly in the Middle West.

A check for \$55,449.35, said to be the largest ever drawn in this city for an insurance broker, was made out by Penney as the premium on the additional policy of \$1,500,000 issued to him by F. W. Brill of Brill & Scott, general agents of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, 615 Fifth Avenue.

All Policies Personal. Penney's annual premium on the \$3,000,000 policy was approximately \$129,000. More than twenty companies divide the risk.

Penney's points are for the benefit of his personal estate, as are also those of du Pont and the two Wanamakers.

Penney learned the clothing business in Hamilton, Mo., where he was born in 1875, and his first salary was \$25 a year, raised to \$200 the year following. He failed in trying to establish a butcher shop in Denver, and when twenty-seven, with \$500 in his pocket, he opened a clothing store at Kemmerer, Wyo. The business grew until Penney needed the help of a clerk and he engaged E. C. Samis, now President of the Penney Corporation.

Samis, who helped Penney help his clerks to become part owners of the stores when they displayed ability, until today the Penney Corporation is not sole owner of a single store, acting chiefly as buying agent for the system and giving the member stores the advantage of purchases made in large quantities.

Mr. Penney has carried the principle of employee participation to unusual lengths, building up a large and a business organization which covers the continent.

## Ton Candle To Burn 18 Centuries Is Orphans' Memorial To Caruso

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The Enrico Caruso Memorial Candle, the largest in the world, has been completed in the studios of Antonio Ajello & Bros., No. 357 East 124th street, and will be shipped to Italy in the next few weeks. It cost \$8,000, and was made on the order of an orphan asylum in this city of which Caruso was a generous benefactor.

The candle is 5 feet in circumference at the top. It is 18 feet high and weighs a ton. It is of antique Greek design, with Roman Renaissance relief work, and represents the work of five men for four months.

Four steamship companies have offered to transport the huge candle to Italy without charge. It will be placed in the Church of Our Lady of Pompeii, Italy, the last church in which Caruso worshipped. On the suggestion of Cardinal Vannutelli it will be burned twenty-four hours each day on All Souls' Day, Nov. 2.

The candle is made of chemically-treated beeswax, and is burned one day a year. It is estimated it will last for eighteen centuries.

The inscription on the candle is: "Offered to the Most Holy Mary of Pompeii in behalf of our benefactor, Enrico Caruso."

Mr. Penney has asked the World to announce that students and artists will be permitted to view the candle before it is shipped. For the next few days it will be on exhibition between 9 a. m. and 1 p. m.

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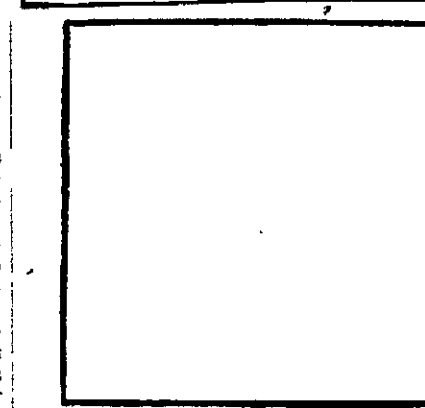
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## A PUZZLE A DAY



How can the square shown above be divided into eight perfect squares. The squares may be of different sizes.

## Yesterday's answer:

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## FASTIDIOUS PAUPERS

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